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# G. & R. Superior Collection of Tuberous Begonias

For These Begonias, in Colors, see Fourth Page of Cover.

Tuberous Begonias are grand for either in or outdoor culture, the soil should be one part leaf mould or the turfy soil scraped from the bottom of the old sod—add one part good garden loam and part sand. Mix well together, where planted singly give each tuber a five inch pot, three tubers in a seven inch pot is better. Out of doors give them a partially shaded position, they do well on the north side of a house. Water very cautiously until active growth starts, then gradually increase the amount. No plant will give more bloom, they are gorgeous.

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## The Wonderful New Hardy Ever-Blooming ROSE, EDWARD MAWLEY

See First Cover Page for This Rose in Colors.

Raiser's description: "By its marvelous outstanding qualities, is now generally regarded by rosarians as the greatest advance and most wonderful Rose yet raised. We have no hesitation in stating that it is the finest of all dark-crimson Roses, a true perpetual flowering Hybrid Tea, and the most beautiful variety the Rose world has yet seen. Gold Medal, National Rose Society." This grand novelty of Messrs. McGredy & Sons, they have very aptly named Edward Mawley, in honor of one of the best-beloved of British rosarians. It is an enormous, big-petaled Rose, much larger than Melanie Soupert; a Rose it resembles in form, but of the beautiful rich color of a Louis Van Houtte, only with a more velvety shading upon the inside of its petals. This Rose could not fail to receive the coveted gold medal of the National Rose Society. 35 cents; two-year, 75 cents.

## G. and R. Garden Collection of CHOICEST DAHLIAS

See Second Page of Cover for These Dahlias in Colors.

**No. 1. SPRINGFIELD**—(Cactus.) This is a grand new Dahlia, first introduced this year. For perfection of bloom, erectness of stem, abundance of flower, this variety has no equal, except in the old standby Countess of Lonsdale, being identical with that variety except in the color, on a well developed plant often one hundred and fifty flowers may be counted. Is there any other garden flower that can equal it? The color is a rich amaranthine-red, the most beautiful of all Dahlias. 50 cts.

**No. 2. KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—(Decorative.) A grand white decorative Dahlia. The flowers are very large and bold. Color pure white. 20 cents.

**No. 3. BLACK BEAUTY**—(Decorative.) A beautiful dark velvety maroon, almost black. 20 cents.

**No. 4. AURORA**—(Cactus.) The color is a remarkable shade of rich golden-amber, elegantly tinged and shaded with apricot and dark ruddy copper, shading lighter towards tips of petals, intensely beautiful and resembling in color a splendid afterglow. 25 cents.

**No. 5. MRS. CHARLES TURNER**—(Decorative.) Bright canary-yellow. Flowers of immense size, often measuring from seven to nine inches in diameter. This surpasses anything for size in yellow Dahlias. Try it. 20 cents.

**No. 6. MADAME A. LUMIERE**—(Decorative.) A very attractive variety. Pure white, with pronounced violet-red tips, an extremely handsome and showy variety. Should be in all collections. 25 cents.

**Special Offer No. 31.** The entire set of six G. & R. Garden Collection of Dahlias, costing \$1.60, sent for only \$1.25. These are the best six Dahlias ever offered.

# G. & R. Star Set of Tested Fancy Roses

SEE THIRD PAGE OF COVER FOR THESE ROSES IN COLORS.

**No. 1 DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON**—Intense saffron-yellow suffused with rich crimson, which, as the flower develops, becomes deep coppery-yellow, a shade of colors hitherto unknown among Roses; the petals are large and of great substance; free flowering and of delightful fragrance. A great acquisition to the garden Roses. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 2 LAURENT CARLE**—An extremely vigorous grower, with fine erect branching habit and fine dark-green foliage; long buds are borne on long stems, opening into large flowers of perfect form, just full enough to open freely; color brilliant velvety carmine. A very promising variety; another Rose it will certainly pay you to try. We know it has a future. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 3 MARIE DELESALLE**—As free in growth as Tep-litz, flowering continuously; buds long and elegant, opening into lovely blooms of fine form and large petals; color bright deep cerise. A decidedly free bedding Rose. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 4 ALEXANDER HILL GRAY**—The respect of all Rose lovers warrants the issuing of a champion Rose, and a tea at that, to pay due homage to one of the world's greatest Tea Rose growers. It is wonderfully floriferous, every shoot being crowned with a flower bud, which develops into a bloom of very large size, great substance and perfect formation, with high pointed center from which the petals gracefully reflex. The best and largest pure yellow Tea Rose yet introduced. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 5 JONKHEER J. L. MOCK**—This grand Rose is the strongest growing in the Hybrid Tea class. The blooms, which are produced with the greatest freedom, are carried on stiff and erect stems, and are of the largest size, of perfect formation and highly perfumed. Color clear imperial-pink; a glorious flower. Awarded two gold medals, one silver medal and five first prizes in Europe. We can confidently recommend this sterling novelty as a most valuable addition. **20 cents; two-year, 40c.**

**No. 6 F. R. PATZER**—A most beautiful and distinct Rose of very free flowering character. The blooms are produced with great freedom on stiff stems, and are of large size and substance. The color is creamy-buff, back of petals delicate warm pink; as the petals reflex the color becomes light orange-pink, forming a most charming combination. Valuable for garden culture. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 7 MADAME VALERE BEAUMEZ**—Cream, yellow and orange are the colors in this queenly Rose. All the tints exquisitely beautiful, form very full and nicely rounded; a strong grower. We feel sure that this Rose will rank in the dozen best bedders. "Standard" in all necessary qualities, "fancy" in its coloring. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 8 LADY ASHTOWN**—Deep rose, shading to silvery-pink, with touches of yellow at base of the petals; large, full and fine form, free and constant. A grand garden Rose, much prized in England. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 9 OLIVIA**—(Hill, 1907.) The ideal red bedding Rose; was always just a little ways ahead—never quite reached. Such varieties as Meteor, Helen Gould, General McArthur, Gruss an Tepnitz, Etoile de France each lack something to make them ideal. Rhea Reid came nearer the mark in some localities, but now comes Olivia, coming under the wire first an easy winner. It has more petals in it than General McArthur and is a shade lighter in color than Rhea Reid, but has them both backed off the boards when it comes to free blooming. A superb Rose. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 10 RADIANCE**—A new American Rose; there are none better. A brilliant rosy-carmine, displaying beautiful rich and opaline-pink tints in the open flower. The form is fine, largest size and full, with cupped petals. It blooms constantly and is delightfully fragrant. This is next to President Taft, the strongest growing of all H. T. Roses. Simply grand; superb. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 11 FRIEDRICHSRUHE**—Color deep blood-red; large, full, well-formed, flowering freely and continuously; excellent habit of growth. Awarded gold medal at Dusseldorf. A splendid Rose. **15 cents; two-year, 30 cents.**

**No. 12 HUGO ROLLER**—Large, full and beautifully formed petals nicely reflexed at the edges; center high and pointed; color rich lemon-yellow; petals edged and suffused with crimson; a Rose of great beauty, and extraordinarily lasting qualities. Will become popular. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 13 LADY PIRRIE**—A delightful garden Rose, of very distinct coloring. Stands at the top of the "Fancy Roses." The outside petals are reddish-salmon; inside apricot, flushed fawn and copper. An ideal variety for bedding. Color, freedom of growth and abundance of bloom are bound to put this Rose in the very forefront of garden favorites. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 14 MRS. FOLEY HOBBS**—This is beyond question the best Tea yet introduced, as it possesses in a most marked degree every quality necessary to constitute a good and perfect Rose. It is a veritable giant among Teas. The huge thick shell-shaped petals create a bloom of exceptional merit; color delicate ivory-white, faintly tinged pink on the edges of the petals. Deliciously perfumed. This Rose stands without a rival. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 15 COLONEL R. S. WILLIAMSON**—Color satiny-white with deep blush center; blooms large, well formed, with high pointed center and carried on stiff stems. **15 cents; two-year, 30 cents.**

**No. 16 MISS CYNTHIA FORD**—This Rose possesses in a superlative degree the essential points of an ideal garden Rose, viz.; size, form, brightness, vigor and habit. In color it is a deep brilliant rose-pink, very large, perfectly formed and very full. It is sweetly perfumed and lasts a long time in good condition. Gold medal, N. R. S. **15 cents; two-year, 35c.**

**No. 17 MRS. ARTHUR E. E. COXHEAD**—In this magnificent Rose we have a new and distinct color among Hybrid Teas, and one very difficult to describe; claret-red, shaded vermilion towards the edge, with a wonderful bright silvery sheen towards the base of the petals, giving a distinct illuminated effect to the whole bloom. A truly great variety. Awarded the gold medal of the N. R. S. **15 cents; two-year, 30 cents.**

**No. 18 LADY HILLINGDON**—At the Detroit Rose show in January, 1912, this was awarded the sweepstakes over all yellow Roses. It has long willow stems that are in no sense weak, as the buds are held upright; has a long slender pointed bud of brilliant deep golden-yellow, and a striking peculiarity of this Rose was that each day of the show this golden-yellow color became deeper yellow and more intense, unlike all other yellow Roses of which we are familiar, as invariably the tendency after being cut is to get lighter in color. This Rose at no stage of its development shows this lighter color as does Sunburst and other of the yellow Roses, but is always an even, deep intense golden-yellow; forces well. Awarded gold medal, National Rose Society. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 19 DOUBLE WHITE KILLARNEY**—A pure-white sport from White Killarney; has a much larger bud, double the size of the ordinary White Killarney; has many more petals than its parent. A great garden Rose. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 20 RAINBOW**—Pink, striped and splashed with bright carmine; good shaped buds with fine petals; free flowering. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 21 SUNBURST**—This magnificent giant yellow Rose is a fine forcer; it stands head and shoulders above all others of its color and will rank with American Beauty and the Killarneys in value and grandeur. It has long, pointed buds, which can be cut tight for market. The color is orange-copper or golden-orange and golden-yellow; edge of petals lighter; all intense shades, extremely brilliant in effect. Belongs in the class of big Roses; has created a sensation wherever shown. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**No. 22 KILLARNEY QUEEN**—A cerise-pink sport of has not been equaled; exceptionally strong in growth, with foliage that is perfect, being larger than Killarney and more glossy. In size of petals Killarney Queen is larger than its parent, and for high grade bloom it is a very superior variety. Forces fine. **15 cents; two-year, 35 cents.**

**No. 23 LIEUTENANT CHAURE**—Bud long and pointed; color velvety crimson, opening to large flowers of crimson-red, shaded garnet; flowers of great depth and nicely cupped form; flowers very freely produced and deliciously fragrant. In every way a grand Rose. **15c.; two-year, 35c.**

**No. 24 RECUERDO DE ANTONIO PELUFFO**—What "Madame Melanie Souper" crossed with Madame Constant Souper, light diaphanous yellow with pink edged petals, exceedingly large, very double and of irreproachable form; free flowering until late autumn; opens freely; combines all the delightful and prominent qualities of the parents; a strong, hardy Rose with nice long buds. A classical Rose and a wonderful Rose in many ways. We endorse every word of the above. Our individual opinion is that this Rose has unquestionably come to stay. It is in the way of "Madame de Watteville," except that it has pronouncedly yellow shades and tones. A grand, beautiful Rose. Be sure and try this, it will please you. **20 cents; two-year, 40 cents.**

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 23**—Any 6 Roses priced on this page at 15 cents, sent for only 75 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 24**—Any 5 Roses priced on this page at 20 cents, sent for only 75 cents.

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 25**—The entire 24 Roses shown on third page of cover in colors, and described on this page costing \$4.10, sent for only \$2.50.

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**SPECIAL OFFER No. 28**—Any 5 two-year-old Roses priced on this page at 40 cents, sent for only \$1.65.

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 29**—The entire 24 two-year-old Roses named on this page costing \$8.75, sent for only \$6.50.

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# THE CREAM OF THE NEW ROSES

We here offer what is good in the New Tea and Hybrid Tea Roses. To have what is good you must try these New Roses. They are the best that England, France, Luxembourg, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Holland and America can produce.

**BRITISH QUEEN**—(McGredy, 1912.) We quote the introducer's description: "Experts who have seen British Queen growing, agree that it is the finest white Rose in existence, surpassing in beauty and elegance of form all other white varieties. The freedom with which it blooms is remarkable. It is in flower from June until winter, and on well cultivated plants the blooms are a model of perfection. The type of flower is between White Maman Cochet and Frau Karl Druschki, with Tea Rose form and refinement; frequently in the bud state it shows a slight flush; this disappears as the flower opens into purest whiteness. It is a good grower and sweetly scented. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society of England. Those who have had the pleasure to see this magnificent Rose blooming at Portadown will never forget the sight. 30 cents; two-year plants, 75 cents.

**CANADIAN QUEEN**—(Dale, 1912.) This is a great forcing Rose; resembles very much in growth, habit and flower the old Madame Cusin; a beautiful shade of bright pink, with long stems. A decided beauty. 20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.

**CHATEAU DES CLOS VOUGEAT**—(Pernet Ducher, 1908.) Words are inadequate to describe, and pigments are not made which could reproduce the wonderful coloring and texture of this truly remarkable Rose. You have all been looking for the black Rose, and here it is. The most wonderful color and texture ever seen in a Rose; looks as if cut out of heavy velvet with a color shading from deepest velvety maroon-red to blackish-crimson. We are sure it will become one of the most popular of garden Roses, quite in a class by itself, blooming continuously in crops closely following one another. It is of fine shape, good size and the richest colored of all Roses, being fifty per cent. darker than Prince Camille de Rohan and Jubilee; quite fragrant. With us the foliage of this Rose is absolutely resistant to black spot and mildew; in a class by itself for this reason alone. Keep your eye on this Rose, as it is a wonder; named after a vintage of famous old French wine. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**CHILD'S SPECTACULAR**—(Elliott, 1912.) This is a sport from Killarney, and might well be named "Striped Killarney." A glorious, sparkling pink, widely striped, blotched and variegated with pure white. Buds exceedingly large,

with wide petals and long pointed shape like Tulips. In fact, the buds are so very large they have often been taken for Tulips. A "Spectacular" Rose. 25 cents; two-year plants, 65 cents.

**COMTESSE FELICIE HOYOS**—(Souper & Notting, 1912.) Very clear salmon-yellow, with center of rosy-copper, overlaid with vivid carmine. In the style of "Prince de Bulgarie," but more vigorous and with larger flowers. A grand Rose. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**COUNTESS OF SHAFTESBURY**—(Hugh Dickson, 1911.) This splendid Rose is the most perfect type of Hybrid Tea. Its large and perfectly formed flowers are produced in endless profusion. In color it is bright silvery-carmine, flushed pale shell-pink at the edges of the petals, giving a delightful picotee effect; the color at the base of the petals deepens with age to light cochineal-carmine. Fine for massing in beds. Awarded the gold medal by the National Rose Society. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**CRIMSON CROWN**—(Alex Dickson, 1905.) Brilliant, glowing dark crimson. Lemon-white at base of the petals. Flowers borne in clusters and in the greatest profusion. A fine bedder. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**DORA**—(W. Paul, 1906.) Large full flowers of a beautiful peach blossom color, with deeper center, changing to silvery-blush as the flowers expand. Very free flowering. A glorious Rose. Try it. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**DOUBLE PINK KILLARNEY**—(Scott, 1910.) The Killarney that will supersede the Killarney now grown. We have confidence in recommending this variety as a distinct improvement on the normal type, as it possesses from ten to twelve more petals than its parent. Awarded certificate of merit by the American Rose Society. 20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**EARL OF GOSFORD**—(McGredy, 1912.) Color dark crimson, heavily shaded after the style of Jubilee. A fine, strong grower; a Rose that will do particularly well in adverse climates; very fragrant and destined to become a very popular Rose. 50 cents; two-year plants \$1.00.

**ECARLATE**—(Boytard, 1907.) This is not one of the newest varieties, but we intend to hammer the good qualities of this Rose until we compel attention. It's a better grower than "Etoile de France," is a darker color than "Liberty" and more fragrant than "La France." What more do you want us to say about it. "Ecarlate" is without question the finest red bedding Rose to date, and the longer you put off making its acquaintance the more you will miss. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

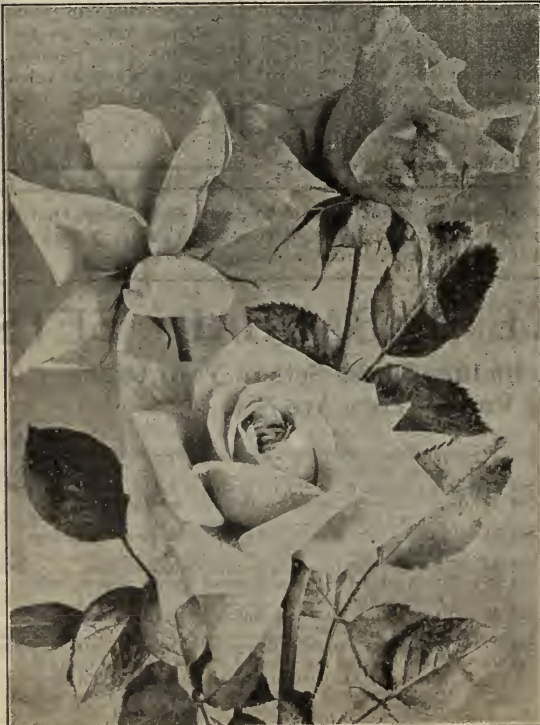
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**ELIZABETH**—(Benj. Cant, 1912.) Deep rosy-pink, shading off lighter towards the outer petals. Large full and well pointed buds and flowers. A very valuable sort that is decorative wherever placed. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**ETHEL MALCOLM**—(McGredy, 1910.) No Rose for many years created the same sensation among Rose growers as this superb variety when it was awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society. The color is ivory-white passing to a pure white when the flower expands with a delicate peach shading in center of bloom. A truly lovely color. A fine novelty. 25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**EUGENE BOULLET**—(Pernet Ducher, 1911.) This will become a standard variety. It has all the ear-marks of a good Rose. Vigorous grower; free bloomer. The blooms are of the largest size; the color a rich ruby-red, and of delicious fragrance. A No. 1 variety. 20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.

**FARBENKONIGIN (Queen of Colors)**—(Trier, 1901.) This is well named the Queen of Colors; our own personal opinion is that there is no finer Rose grown than this beautiful sort. It is large and full; color bright carmine and rosy-crimson, overlaid with a satiny silver sheen. Very floriferous. Simply grand. Here is another Rose that will bear an acquaintance. All Europe knows this Rose, while but few in America have even heard of it. 20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.



FARBENKONIGIN (Queen of Colors).



# THE CREAM OF THE NEW ROSES—Continued.

**FRAU OBERBURGERMEISTER PIECQ**—(Jacobs, 1912.) Vivid "Marechal Niel" yellow. Outer petals creamy-yellow; of perfect form. Very large and double. A valuable novelty. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**GARTENDIRECTOR HARTRATH**—(Leenders, 1911.) Very large double flowers, with long elegantly pointed buds on stiff stems. Very free. Color satiny flesh, very bright and very fine. This is a Rose that will win its way to your heart on first seeing it, and, like all of Leenders' productions, is first-class. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**GENERAL SUPERIOR ARNOLD JANSSEN**—(Leenders, 1912.) This Rose has all the good qualities of "Jonkheer J. L. Mock" and "Mevrouw Dora Van Tets" and is just between them in color, being a deep glowing carmine, carried erect on stiff, robust stems. Very free and in every way a noble, first-class Rose; undoubtedly a Rose that has come to stay. **25 cents; two-year plants, 60 cents.**

**GEORGE REIMERS**—(Souper & Notting, 1910.) Fiery-red, with shades of garnet and ruby reds commingled; more lustrous than Richmond; large, perfectly formed flowers with massive petals; long bud; continuous bloomer. Will have a great future. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**GROSSHERZOGIN FRIEDRICH**—(Lambert, 1909.) Everybody who gets this Rose will thank us for offering it. Color bright rosy-vermillion, overlaid with a yellowish cast. Awarded the highest prize at Mannheim. Among the bloomers this Rose stands at the head of the list for freedom. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**HAMLET**—(Vigneron, 1912.) Clear salmon-yellow, passing to carmine, beautifully spotted with pink. Large, full, long bud, opening well on long, stiff stems, with continuous free flowering propensities. Excellent for cut flower purposes. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**HARRY KIRK**—(Alex. Dickson, 1907.) A splendid Rose, of most robust growth, with free-branching habit, flowering freely and continuously; the blooms are large, with large, smooth petals of great substance, the form is perfect, the buds long and elegant. Color deep sulphur-yellow, passing to a lighter shade at the edges of the petals. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society of England. This Rose is difficult to propagate, and will always, for this reason, remain high in price, although when once rooted and established, is a good grower. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**HELENE WATTINE**—(Souper & Notting, 1910.) White with lemon-yellow center, very double and of the largest size, opening as flat as a plate; a vigorous grower and a very promising bedder. Has the beautiful form of Malmaison. A charming novelty. **20 cents; two-year plants 40 cents.**

**HERZOGIN MARIE ANTOINETTE** (Jacobs, 1911.) Very long buds of pure orange or old gold; very large flower of perfect form. Souper & Notting, of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, say: "This is the finest yellow of all yellow Roses." Gold medal, M. Gladbach; certificate of merit of the German Nurserymen's Society; also prizes of honor at Leipzig, Sangerhausen and Zweibrücken. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**HILDA**—(Scott, 1911.) This is a grand forcing Rose sent out by the introducer of "My Maryland." It has buds and flowers of the largest size. A dark shining pink, with darker center. You will stop and notice this Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**IRISH FIRE FLAME**—(Alex. Dickson, 1913.) One of Alex. Dickson's single Roses that is a good bedder. It makes beautiful buds that remain in shape a long time, having great substance. It comes with long stems, and with its unique color, it forms a combination that at once places it in the front rank of beautiful Roses. The color is old gold or coppery-yellow, flamed with ruddy-crimson. Certainly a most glorious Rose; if you have never had the pleasure of seeing how beautiful a single Rose is, try Irish Fire Flame. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**LADY ALICE STANLEY**—(McGredy, 1910.) This, we predict, will become very popular as a garden Rose. The petals are shell-shaped, forming a perfect flower; the color on outside of petals is a deep coral-rose; inside, delicate flesh, often flushed and suffused with bright flesh. Remarkably attractive, without doubt a magnificent Rose. Awarded gold medal. **25 cents; two-year plant, 50 cents.**

**LADY DE BATH**—(Benj. Cant, 1911.) A grand garden Rose. Color, creamy-white, with golden-yellow markings in the center petals; extra fine. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**LADY DOWNE**—(W. Paul, 1911.) A splendid bedding Rose, with large handsome flowers on stout stems. For a Rose the color is quite peculiar, being a beautiful shade of buff. When fully open the center is deep yellow, and it matures finely into a pleasing light yellow shade. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**LADY KATHERINE ROSE**—(Bide, 1911.) A direct cross between "Antoine Rivoire" and "La Fraicheur." The color of his Rose is of the same delicate pink as "La Fraicheur," with the same unique markings in the petals characteristic of this beautiful Rose, retaining the delicious scent. This variety was growing in the midst of known varieties during the summer, and several leading Rose growers who saw it blooming were quick to pick it out. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**LADY REAY**—(Benj. Cant, 1911.) An attractive bedding variety. Color, deep rich pink, deeper in the center, shading off in the outer petals to silvery-white; very fine. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**LESLIE HOLLAND**—(Hugh Dickson, 1911.) Upright, free and vigorous, branching habit of growth, flowering freely and well; flowers large, with shell-shaped petals of great substance, carried on stiff, erect stems; color deep scarlet-crimson, heavily shaded with deep velvety crimson; very sweetly scented. An excellent Rose. Gold medal, National Rose Society. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MABEL DREW**—(Alex. Dickson, 1911.) A truly magnificent Rose, superb in every respect. The blooms are large and full, carried on strong and erect flower stalk; the color is deep cream on first opening, passing to intense canary-yellow in the center as the bloom develops; has the delicious, refreshing perfume of the Tea Roses. Awarded by a unanimous vote the gold medal of the National Rose Society. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MADAME CHARLES LEJUNE**—(Guillot, 1912.) Growth vigorous and upright. Large oval buds carried on erect stems. Flowers very large and very double; of globular form. Color, clear silvery-rose, with vivid center. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MADAME CHARLES LUTAUD**—(Pernet Ducher, 1912.) A fine, vigorous grower, with erect branching habit. Stems are almost thornless; foliage broad and nicely bronzed; bud very long and pointed on long stems. The bloom is large and full. Color, rich chrome-yellow, with rosy scarlet on the outer petal. Has Marquis Siney blood, but very distinct from that variety. **50 cents; two-year plants, \$1.00.**

**MADAME EDMON ROSTAND**—(Pernet Ducher, 1912.) Delightfully free. Strong grower, with but few thorns and small ones at that. Bud long and beautifully formed, opening into a surprisingly large, full flower with immense outer petals. Color, clear pink, with salmon shadings and reddish-orange center, every tint clear and beautiful. The finest of the "Antoine Rivoire" type on account of its brilliant coloring. A grandly beautiful Rose. **50 cents; two-year plants, \$1.00.**

**MADAME G. SERRUIER**—(Souper & Notting, 1910.) Mother of pearl white, beautifully flushed and tinted with baby pink. The flowers are formed as perfectly as a Camellia flower. Blooms from June till winter comes. A fine Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MADAME JULES BOUCHE**—(Croibier, 1911.) A beautiful white suffused with salmon-pink center, deeply shaded with virginal-pink; large and full. This Rose has won numerous medals and awards. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MADAME LUCIEN BALTET**—(Pernet Ducher, 1911.) Rosy-flesh, shaded yellow. Petals bordered carmine, large, full and globular. A very free blooming garden Rose. Distinct and useful. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**



GENERAL SUPERIOR ARNOLD JANSSEN.

# THE CREAM OF THE NEW ROSES—Continued.

**MADAME P. EULER**—(Guillot, 1908.) Probably too old a Rose to be classed with the new varieties. We place it here so particular attention may be called to it. The color is a lovely shade of vermilion-pink, changing to silvery-pink. Very large, very full and possessing great lasting properties. Perfect form; fragrant. Awarded first prize and gold medal at Clermont. On the Pacific Coast this Rose is so well thought of that it has been rechristened "Prima Donna." It is without question a great Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MADAME RAVARY**—(Pernet Ducher, 1899.) Not a new Rose, but not largely disseminated in this country. It is probable that more of this yellow Rose is planted in England, Ireland and the Continent than all other yellows combined. In growth and habit it is much like Madame Caroline Testout, and will always command a good price, being difficult to propagate. Long pointed buds of beautiful golden-yellow, opening to large, full orange-yellow flowers; very free flowering. Superb. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MADMOISELLE BLANCHE MARTIGNAT**—(Gamon, 1904.) Like so many of the good continental Roses, we just happened to have the good luck to run onto this superior Rose by chance. Why it has been neglected so long is beyond our comprehension. The only solution to the question, "lost in the shuffle" is probably the appropriate answer. Growth free and the foliage is quite distinct, both in shape and color. The shape is extremely long and pointed. It has a distinct light silvery color. The flowers are beautiful peach pink, with tints of yellow and crimson, the same colors as seen in the Aurora Borealis. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MADISON**—(Brandt Hentz, 1912.) This is the "money maker" among the cut flower Roses, and is a greatly improved Bride and when we say improvement, we mean a genuine improvement. After being planted and well established, Madison will cut as many flowers as Killarney, cutting steady each month in the year. Madison is a grand addition to our list of bedding Roses. Remember that "Madison" is the money maker. Color, delicate ivory-white, faintly tinged pink on the edge of petals. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MAMAN LYLTY**—(Soupert & Notting, 1912.) Delicate rosy-flesh. Very large splendid Malmaison form. Freely and constantly produced. The best of all rosy-flesh colored Roses. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MANUEL P. AZEVEDO**—(Soupert & Notting, 1911.) The introducers say: "A splendid large double, upright flower of an ideal form. Color fresh cerise-red, with wax-like petals. This first-class novelty has the hardiness and splendid form of Ulrich Brunner and is as free-blooming as Etoile de France, one of the first and finest blooming in the Rose garden. A new, rare and invariable color; sweetly perfumed." Our Mr. Frank Good says: "This Rose has come to stay; it has already made for itself a place that is secure." **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cts.**

**MARQUIS DE SINETY**—(Pernet Ducher, 1906.) This Rose is extremely difficult to propagate, but it has such decided and pronouncedly marked merit that we are constrained to keep it on our list. Was it not for this fact it would have been ere this relegated to the scrap heap. It is a good grower after once rooted, and it is a Rose you will always plant if you get started with it. Everyone who has seen this beautiful Rose is enthusiastic over it. The buds are of a rich ochre-yellow, suffused with carmine or bronzy red. The expanded flower of largest size is fairly double; of perfect cupped shape and of a rich golden-yellow or Roman ochre, shaded with bright rosy red, delightfully fragrant. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MAY KENYON SLANEY**—(Alex. Dickson, 1910.) A Rose of wonderful distinctness and charm, possessing a wondrously profuse and continuous flowering habit; the blooms are large and of wonderful finish; the color is a charming blush-pink on rich cream, the pink intensifying as the flower expands; delightfully tea scented. Valuable. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MEVROUW DORA VAN TETS**—(Leenders, 1912.) A chaste Rose of great beauty. The habit of growth is perfection, every shoot producing a bloom, a veritable pearl for garden decoration. The color is a deep glowing crimson; a flower you want to linger with, and which you visit again and again. This is another most valuable garden Rose sent out by that painstaking Dutchman, M. Leenders, of Steil-Tegel, who has already enriched for all time our gardens with the grand varieties "Jonkheer J. L. Mock," "Gartendirecteur Hartrath" and "General Superior Arnold Janssen." Yourself or friends will make no mistake in planting this Rose. **50 cents; two-year plants, \$1.00.**

**MI-LADY**—(Pierson, 1913.) A cross between "Richmond" and "J. B. Clark." Color similar to "Richmond." A large bright crimson flower. Large, full, well-formed flowers carried on stiff, erect stems. Very fragrant and a fine keeper. Has jumped into popularity as a forcing Rose, but is, we think, more suited as a garden Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MILDRED GRANT**—(Alex. Dickson, 1901.) Ivory-white, with an occasional flush of pale peach. High pointed center, with unusually large and massive petals, opening to perfectly formed flowers of enormous size and substance. Awarded the gold medal of N. R. S. We are the only firm in the United States offering this Rose on its own roots in young plants. It is a grand Rose. **50 cents; only one size to offer.**

**MRS. AARON WARD**—(Pernet Ducher, 1907.) This Rose is a real joy to the grower and absolutely distinct. One of the most delightful Roses of recent years in a color that catches the eye at once. Coppery-orange in the open bud, golden-orange when partly developed, pinkish-fawn of lovely shade when fully open, when it looks like a full fluffy-silk rosette. Color effect of the whole flower is Indian-yellow. No wonder everybody who sees it falls in love with it; one of the most beautiful Roses in existence. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. ALFRED TATE**—(McGredy, 1910.) The color of this Rose is perfectly fascinating and the form of bloom so distinctly perfect and exquisite in shape; the color is coppery red, shaded fawn, with a distinct ochre-yellow shading at base of the petals. Fine for bedding or massing. Awarded gold medal, Bagatelle (Paris), 1910. Award of merit, Royal Horticultural Society, London, October, 1908. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. AMY HAMMOND**—(McGredy, 1911.) It has an extraordinarily deep, long, very pointed flower, probably the most perfectly shaped and most graceful form of any Rose grown; has no equal among bedding or garden Roses. The color is a blend of ivory and amber shading; the amber color is most pronounced and develops to a bright apricot towards the base of the petals. Many blooms develop all over this apricot shading to such an extent that it is charming beyond description. Will be known as "Everybody's Rose." Awarded gold medal. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. CHARLES CUSTIS HARRISON**—(Alex. Dickson, 1910.) Is a Rose of great beauty and distinctness. The flowers are produced in wonderful profusion; the blooms are large, full and of globular form; the petals smooth, circular and of great substance; color deep crimson-pink on front of petals, crayoned deep crimson-carmine on the reverse side, a warm color that lights up well when held in varied positions of light; very highly perfumed. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. CHARLES HUNTER**—(W. Paul, 1912.) A strong, vigorous grower, with rosy-crimson flowers, changing to a pleasing rose as they fully expand. A very bold flower, with large handsome petals, produced on strong, upright stalks. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**



MILDRED GRANT.

# THE CREAM OF THE NEW ROSES—Continued.

**MRS. CHARLES RUSSELL**—(Montgomery, 1912.) This wonderful new American Rose has taken the country, by storm. No other forcing Rose except "American Beauty" can compete with it when it comes to counting points. Stems three feet long, stiff and surmounted by grand rosy-pink blooms of the largest size and build. Keep your eye on this Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. CORNWALLIS WEST**—(Alex. Dickson, 1911.) A truly magnificent and absolutely distinct Rose of huge size and great substance, with exquisite imbricated globular form. The petals are very smooth, shell-shaped, leathery and entrancingly beautiful. The purity of the transparent delicate pink, which is between a shell and a rose-pink—on the purest white, gives it an attraction all its own that it is difficult to convey. Awarded the gold medal, N. R. S. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. DAVID BAILIE**—(Hugh Dickson, 1912.) Strong, free branching growth, making an ideal plant for massing in beds, for which it is exceptionally well adapted. The flowers are beautifully Camellia formed, with petals nicely and evenly reflexed and high pointed center. The color is very pleasing and novel, being bright madder-carmine, with the delicate veinings of the petals pencilled with a deeper shade. Very sweetly perfumed. A decided acquisition among bedding Roses. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. EDWARD J. HOLLAND**—(McGredy, 1910.) The color is a beautiful deep salmon-rose, shaded lighter towards the edges; perfect in both shape and form, with an unusually high pointed center. The petals are of great substance and beautifully arranged, forming a model flower of exquisite beauty, because of the marvelous freedom with which it produces its blooms throughout the whole season. Will prove one of the finest and most striking garden Roses yet produced. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. FRANK BRAY**—(Alex. Dickson, 1912.) This is claimed to be a great advance on the lovely and justly esteemed "Mme. Ravary," which until now has been the best of its color amongst the decorative or garden varieties. "Mrs. Frank Bray" during its several years' trial preceding its introduction, has proven immensely superior to its prototype, not only in vigorous growth, but also in color, which is a deep rich, coppery-ecru, developing as the flower opens to a very delicate coppery-fawn, with a shading of ivory shell-pink. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. FRED STRAKER**—(Alex. Dickson, 1910.) It would be difficult, if not impossible, to either speak or write in too eulogistic terms of this unique creation. The blooms are produced in most extraordinary profusion throughout the entire season. The color in the young flower is orange-crimson. As the bloom develops it becomes silvery-fawn on front of petals, and delicate orange-pink on back; buds long, and with a perfectly spiral finish. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. GEORGE PRESTON**—(Alex. Dickson, 1910.) A most beautiful and thoroughly distinct Rose, flowering in the greatest profusion. The blooms are very large, full and of globular form; the color is a very delicate warm silvery rose-pink, a truly delightful color; sometimes in autumn it is lighted up with delicate orange. Very fragrant. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. GEORGE SHAWYER**—(Lowe & Shawyer, 1911.) This variety is a wonder for freedom of growth and bloom. No other forcing Rose can touch it on these two points. It throws up strong breaks in rapid succession, and a bench soon shows dense growth, every shoot tipped with a bud. The color is bright peach-pink and is carried on three and four-foot stems. This Rose has won awards every place shown, and in the past two years it has been exhibited in practically all the shows, especially in the East and abroad. A fine garden Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. HERBERT HAWKSWORTH**—(Alex. Dickson, 1912.) A glorious Rose of generous size and almost globular form, with very smooth, shell-shaped, massive petals, which are very beautifully arranged, perfecting a flower of the highest standard. The growth is vigorous and marvelously free flowering. The color is deeply zoned ecru on milk-white, which, as the blooms expand, become silky, creamy-white; delicious tea-rose perfume. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. HERBERT STEVENS**—(McGredy, 1910.) In this marvelous variety we have probably the most important addition to this class yet raised. The bloom is as long, and even more pointed than any of the "Maman Cochet" family; faultless in shape and form; a flower of exquisite grace and refinement; color, white with a distinct fawn and peach shading towards the center; a sterling novelty of distinct tea fragrance; unsurpassed. Awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society of England in 1910. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. JOSEPH H. WELCH**—(McGredy, 1911.) The color of this wonderful Rose is a rich, brilliant rose-pink. So distinct and rich a color has not yet been attained in any Rose. When known, we are certain it will be placed right at the top of its class. It is undoubtedly the largest Rose in cultivation, and the most perfect type of Rose the world has yet seen. Its rich, brilliant color, perfect shape and gigantic size will compel attention in any Rose garden. Awarded the gold medal of National Rose Society. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. MAYNARD SINTON**—(McGredy, 1910.) In this grand variety we have the masterpiece of perfection in a Rose. In size, we have the largest; in shape it is perfect, and in form, the most beautiful of all Roses. The color is silvery-white, with porcelain shading, suffused pink towards the edges. In color quite the most distinct among Roses. A truly glorious variety. This Rose, along with "Mildred Grant," represents a distinct type among Hybrid Tea Roses. Awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. MUIR MACKEAN**—(McGredy, 1912.) This is a Rose of very special merit. In all the range of colors among Hybrid Teas, it stands unique and quite distinct; bright carmine-crimson, without shading. A grand, bold, well-built flower, perfect in shape and form; of the most modern type. Extra perpetual flowering. Everything about this Rose is pleasing and attractive. Fragrant. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. RICHARD DRAPER**—(Hugh Dickson, 1911.) A magnificent Rose; of robust branching growth. Flowers very large and full. Color a glossy, satiny-pink on the outside of the petals; inside of the petals silvery-flesh. A glorious Rose for the garden, being always covered with flowers. Awarded the gold medal, N. R. S. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. SAM ROSS**—(Hugh Dickson, 1912.) Very large, full flowers. Petals large, smooth, shell-shaped and slightly cupped, beautifully reflexed at the edges. A flower of the largest size and great refinement. A novel and uncommon shade of color. At once distinct and pleasing, but difficult to describe. It may be said to shade from pale straw color to light chamois-yellow, with a distinct flush of buff on the reverse of the petals. Very sweetly scented. Awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society, Regent's Park, London, July 7th, 1911. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MRS. WALTER EASLEA**—(Alex. Dickson, 1910.) A distinct and charming Rose; of imbricated form and robust, vigorous and erect growth. The blooms are large, full and are most freely produced. The color is a glowing crimson-carmine, which as the flower expands, deepens to intense crimson-orange, the back of the petals, being an intense satiny-crimson, lends additional charm to this lovely variety. It is deliciously perfumed. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**NATALIE BOTTNER**—(Bottner, 1911.) Color, delicate cream-yellow; a flower of wonderful finish in the way of "Kaiserin"; very vigorous, but nevertheless most floriferous. It combines the prominent qualities of the two celebrated Roses, "Druschki" and "Kaiserin." This novelty is much superior to them. This is an absolutely first-class Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**NERISSA**—(W. Paul, 1912.) This Rose was given an award of merit from the Royal Horticultural Society of England. Why they did not give it a gold medal is beyond our ken. An enormously large, full flower, of fine shape, making a magnificent effect in the garden. Growth vigorous. This is a great Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**POLLAERT ROSE**—(Pollaert, 1910.) This is the much heralded improved La France. The claims made for it are that it is a stronger grower, and that the fragrance is more pronounced. We have tried this Rose in the field and we find it identical with La France, except it is a stronger grower and the flowers are sweeter. These two qualities stamp it as a Rose of the first water. **20 cents; two-year plants 40 cents.**

**PRESIDENT TAFT**—(McCullough, 1908.) This Rose was raised in Cincinnati, the home of President Taft, and let us say right here, while some of you may not admire the President himself, you will, one and all, admire the Rose given his name. It is without question the most remarkable of all pink Roses. It has a shining, intense, deep pink color possessed by no other Rose. It is a fine grower, free bloomer, good size and form, fragrant, and in a class by itself as to color. Our Mr. Frank Good, who is probably familiar with more Roses than any man in America, says: "Talk all you want to about the Rose-President Taft, and then you will not say enough." Do not confound this Rose with Leuchteuer, which some have attempted to rename President Taft. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**PRESIDENT VIGNET**—(Pernet Ducher, 1911.) Flower large, full and globular; on long stem. Color, deep carmine-red, shaded bright poppy-red. A charming garden Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**PRINCE ENGLEBERT CHARLES DE ARENBERG**—(Souper & Notting, 1910.) Erect, vigorous growth; buds and flowers of large and perfect form, being long and pointed; massive petals. Color, brilliant fiery scarlet. We think well of this Rose, and it is bound to have a future. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**RADIANCE**—(Cook, 1909.) A brilliant rosy-carmine, displaying beautiful rich and opaline-pink tints in the open flower. The form is fine, largest size and full, with cupped petals. It blooms constantly and is delightfully fragrant. This is a superior Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

# THE CREAM OF THE NEW ROSES—Concluded.

**RECUERDO DE ANTONIO PELUFFO**—(Souper & Notting, 1910.) What Souper & Notting say about this fine Rose: "Madame Melanie Souper crossed with Madame Constant Souper, light diaphanous yellow with pink edged petals, exceedingly large, very double and of irreproachable form; free flowering until late in autumn; opens freely; combines all the delightful and prominent qualities of the parents; a strong, hardy Rose with nice long buds. A classical Rose and a wonderful Rose in many ways." We indorse every word of the above. Our individual opinion is that this Rose has unquestionably come to stay. It is in the way of "Madame de Watteville," except that it has pronouncedly yellow shades and tones. A grand, beautiful Rose. Be sure and try this, it will please you. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**RENA ROBBINS** (Hill, 1911.) This is a grand garden Rose. Strong grower, producing its enormous flowers in the greatest profusion. Comes a bright yellow, changing to a pure white, with golden-yellow heart. Flowers of grand form and a mass of bloom throughout the summer until frost. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**ROBERT HELLER**—(Hill, 1911.) This Rose is a deep golden-yellow in color; quite a pure self without shadings. It is of the type of Perle des Jardins, but is deeper in color. Stronger in growth and brings perfect flowers. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**ROBERT HUEY**—(Alex. Dickson, 1911.) Messrs. Dickson submitted a number of their promising seedlings for trial to Dr. Robert Huey, one of Philadelphia's most enthusiastic and best-posted amateur Rose growers, from which he selected this variety to name after his son. The description following is by Dr. Huey: "A strong, vigorous grower, giving extra fine stems for cutting; color bright carmine shaded deeper on the outer petals; flowers large, full and of good substance; buds pointed; the largest and finest of the red-colored Hybrid Teas; should have a rich, deep soil and good feeding." **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**ROBIN HOOD**—(Hill, 1911.) This new Rose has a glorious scarlet color that is at once soft and bright and lasting; the bloom is full and of the beautiful build of the H. P.'s. It is a grand grower, heavy caned and profuse in foliage. Flowers very freely produced. We feel sure this will prove a delightful companion for General McArthur and Rhea Reid. Robin Hood captured the first prize at the Massachusetts Horticultural Society's June Flower Show for best red Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**SOUVENIR DE GUSTAVE PRAT**—(Pernet Ducher, 1911.) Color, clear sulphur-yellow, without any other coloring; very charming in tint; bud long and oval, opening into a very large flower that is fairly full. A fine garden Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**SUNBURST**—(Pernet Ducher, 1912.) This magnificent giant yellow Rose is a fine forcer; it stands head and shoulders above all others of its color and will rank with American Beauty and the Killarneys in value and grandeur. It has long, pointed buds, which can be cut tight for market. The color is orange-copper or golden-orange and golden-yellow; edge of petals lighter; all intense shades, extremely brilliant in effect. Some call the color Cadmium-yellow. It makes no difference what you call its color, it is the yellowest of all Roses in the ever-blooming class. Belongs in the class of big Roses; has created a sensation wherever shown. Yes, and something more must be said about this Rose. It puts all the yellows to sleep when it comes to bedding in the garden. The golden-yellow color stays right with the flower until it fully finishes. Better get acquainted with "Sunburst." **30 cents; two-year plants, 60 cents.**

**TITO HEKEYAN**—(Souper & Notting, 1912.) Rosy coral-red, shaded yellow. Center vivid coral-purple and deep carmine. A distinct new coloring. Very large flower of fine shape. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**VERNA MACKAY** (Alex. Dickson, 1912.) This is a beautiful delicate ivory sulphur-buff, changing to bright lemon-yellow as the flower expands. The flowers are carried on erect stems and are borne in marvelous profusion. The growth is vigorous, of free branching habit, every shoot being terminated by a sweetly perfumed flower. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**WHITE KILLARNEY**—(Waban Rose Company, 1909.) A sport from Killarney. Grand in every way. The white forcing Rose of the century. Superior to its parent in every particular. Words cannot describe its imposing grandeur. This is the greatest forcing Rose of any color or class. Benches of it during the winter give the appearance of a bank of snow. It is pure white in color, long in bud, of fine form; in fact, it is the one Rose par excellence. Planted in the garden it comes with a delicate pink tinge that if anything adds to its beauty. A great acquisition and a really wonderful Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**WHITE TESTOUT**—(Bide & Son, 1911.) This is identical with Madame Caroline Testout, except that the color is pure white. A grand novelty. **20 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

## The "EXCELSIOR" List of New and Choice Ever-Blooming Roses For Out-Door Planting or House Culture

Price, 10c each, 3 for 25c; any 6 of your own selection for 50c; any 13 for \$1.00. If you leave the selection of the varieties to us, we will send 7 for 50c, or 16 for \$1.00. Large two-year-old Roses from this list, 30c each, or 4 for \$1.00.

For general planting, more especially in open ground, this class excels all others. One-year-old plants, such as we send by mail, bloom the first and each succeeding year from early spring until severe frosts. Two-year-old plants, of course, yield a greater profusion of flowers, owing to their size. The flowers are noted for their exquisite coloring and delightful fragrance; hardy everywhere in open ground with protection of litter, leaves, evergreen boughs or similar materials. Plant liberally of one-year-old Roses; the harvest of bloom they give the first year compensates for the trifling outlay. Anyone can succeed with them.

**AGRIPPINA**—Bright red; very free bloomer.

**ALICE GRAHAME**—Ivory white, tinted salmon; variable.

**ALICE LEMON**—Blush white, shading brilliant salmon-pink.

**ALLIANCE FRANCO-RUSSE**—Golden-yellow flushed crimson.

**ANDRE GAMON**—Pure rosy-carmine; large, full, globular.

**ANTOINE RIVOIRE**—Rosy flesh on yellow ground; grand.

**ANTOINE VERDIER**—Bright glowing pink; very free bloomer.

**ARCHDUKE CHARLES**—Deep carmine, reverse silvery-pink.

**AURORA**—Bright pink; very double and sweet; fine garden Rose.

**BEAUTY OF STAPLEFORD**—Bright, rich rosy-crimson.

**BERTHE GAULIS**—Salmon-pink changing to china-pink.

**BESSIE BROWN**—Creamy white flowers of immense size.

**BETTY**—Coppery-rose; flushed golden-yellow; glorious form.

**BLUMENSCHMIDT**—Rich lemon-yellow; often tinged pink.

**BON SILENE**—Crimson-rose, with sheen of silver.

**BOUGERE**—Bronzed pink, tinged with lilac; large and full.

**BRIDESMAID**—A grand pink Rose for all purposes.

**BURBANK**—Bright pink; a grand bedder; always in bloom.

**CARDINAL**—Rich cardinal-red; full and very free.

**CAROLINE KUSTER**—Light lemon-yellow flowers; superb.

**CATHERINE MERMET**—Color a clear rosy-pink; large and fine.

**CELIA**—Bright satiny Carnation-pink; beautiful.

**CHAMPION OF THE WORLD**—Rich, deep rosy-pink; extra fine.

**CHERRY RIPE**—A deep, rich cherry-red; A No. 1.

**CHRISTINE DE NOUE**—A bright glowing crimson.

**CLARA WATSON**—Salmon-pink; a grand variety.

**COMTESSE DE BARBANTINE**—A most beautiful silvery-pink.

**COMTESSE RIZA DU PARC**—Coppery-rose; large and free; fine.

**COQUETTE DE LYON (Yellow Hermosa)**—Pure light yellow.

**CORNELIA COOK**—The old favorite white Rose; none better.

**COUNTESS OF DERBY**—Center salmon, shading to delicate pink.

**COUNTESS OF GOSFORD**—Clear salmon-pink and saffron-yellow.

**CROWN PRINCESS CECILE**—Delicate silvery-pink; elegant.

**DARK PINK KILLARNEY**—Deeper than Killarney; almost a red.

**DEAN HOLE**—Light carmine, shaded salmon; extra fine.

**DEVONIENSIS**—Magnolia fragrance; a delicate creamy-white.

**DR. GRILL**—Coppery Nasturtium-yellow, tinged with red.

**DR. J. CAMPBELL HALL**—Silvery coral-rose, suffused white.

**DOROTHY PAGE ROBERTS**—Coppery-pink, suffused apricot-yellow.

**DUCHESSE DE BRABANT**—Bright salmon-pink; an old favorite.

**DUCHESS OF ALBANY (Red La France)**—A superb Rose.

**EDU. MEYER**—Coppery-red and yellow; superb.

**EMPRESS EUGENIE**—Deep, rich pink; very double; hardy.

**ETOILE DE FRANCE**—Clear velvety crimson; very rich.

**ETOILE DE LYON**—Bright sulphur-yellow; fine form.

**EUGENE MARLITT**—Bright carmine, with scarlet tones.

**FLORENCE PEMBERTON**—Creamy-white, flushed and shaded peach.

**FRAU LILLA RAUTENSTRAUCH**—Creamy-yellow and peach-pink.

**FREIHERR VON MARSCHALL**—A grand, large, bright carmine-rose.

**GENERAL McARTHUR**—A superb, deep, rich red Rose; new.

**GENERAL ROBT. E. LEE**—Orange-yellow; shaded white; free.

**GENERAL TARTAS**—Color rich, deep rose; very fine.

**GLADYS HARKNESS**—Deep salmon-pink; fragrant.

**GOLDELSE**—Pale yellow, golden-yellow center.

**GOLDEN GATE**—White; most beautifully tinged pink.

**GROSSHERZOGIN ALEXANDRA**—Clear canary-yellow; fine.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**—Brightest red of all Roses; extra.

**H. ARMATYGE MOORE**—A delightful shade of rosy-pink.

**HECTOR MACKENZIE**—Dark pink, changing to silvery-carmine.

**HELEN GOOD**—Delicate yellow, suffused with pink.

**HELEN GOULD**—Bright watermelon-red; exquisite.

**HERMOSA**—Beautiful bright pink flowers; an old favorite.

**HOMER**—Soft rose, with salmon shadings.

**INSTITUTEUR SIRDAY**—Rich deep golden-yellow.

**ISABELLA SPRUNT**—Charming light canary-yellow.

**IVORY**—Pure snow-white; very pretty bud.

**JACQUES VINCENT**—Clear coral-red, tinted yellow.

**JAMES COEY**—Deep golden-yellow, edged white.

**JOHANNES WESSELHOFT**—A grand yellow Rose.

**JOSEPH HILL**—Salmon-pink, shaded with yellow.

**JUBILAUMS ROSE**—Creamy-white, flushed golden-yellow.

# The "Excelsior" List of Ever-Blooming Roses—Continued

**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—Pure white, tinted yellow.  
**KILLARNEY**—Clear rich deep shell-pink.  
**LA DETROIT**—Shell-pink, shading to rose; elegant.  
**LADY BATTERSEA**—Long pointed buds of richest red; elegant.  
**LADY HELEN VINCENT**—Delicate shell-pink, suffused peach.  
**LADY MARY CORY**—Deep yellow; distinct and fine.  
**LADY QUARTUS EWART**—A pure paper white garden Rose.  
**LADY ROBERTS**—Rich deep apricot and coppery-yellow.  
**LADY URSULA**—Flesh-pink; large, full and perfectly formed.  
**LA FRANCE**—Clear pink. The queen of all Roses.  
**LA TOSCA**—Soft pink, tinted rosy-white; extra.  
**LE PACTOLE**—Pale sulphur-yellow; free.  
**LE PROGRESS**—Nankeen-yellow, golden yellow buds.  
**LOUIS PHILLIPE**—Dark crimson-maroon; good bedder.  
**LUCULLUS**—Beautiful crimson-scarlet; free bloomer.  
**MADAME ABEL CHATENAY**—Rosy-pink\*with lighter shadings.  
**MADAME ALICE KOPKE-DEMAY**—Creamy-white suffused rose.  
**MADAME CAMILLE**—A remarkable shade of salmon; large.  
**MADAME CAROLINE TESTOUT**—A grand, bright pink; extra large.  
**MADAME CONSTANT SOUPERT**—Deep golden-yellow, tinted peach.  
**MADAME DE VATRY (Creole Beauty)**—A fine red.  
**MADAME DE WATTEVILLE**—Rosy-blush, bordered crimson.  
**MADAME EDMOND SABLAYROLLES**—Yellow, deep orange center.  
**MADAME GAMON**—Soft apricot, suffused sunset rose.  
**MADAME HOSTE**—Pale lemon-yellow, deeper center.  
**MADAME JENNY GILLEMOT**—Saffron-yellow, opening pale yellow.  
**MADAME JOSEPH SCHWARTZ**—White, delicately tinged pink.  
**MADAME JULES GROLEZ**—Rose and satiny-pink; extra fine.  
**MADAME LEON PAIN**—Silvery-salmon; center yellowish-orange.  
**MADAME LEON SIMON**—Dark rose, with yellow center.  
**MADAME LOMBARD**—Rosy-red, with silvery reflex; extra fine.  
**MADAME LUCIEN PICARD**—Salmon-white; large and fine.  
**MADAME MARGOTTIN**—Citron-yellow with red center; fine.  
**MADAME MAURICE DE LUZE**—Deep rose-pink; cochineal center.  
**MADAME MELANIE SOUPERT**—Saffron-yellow suffused carmine.  
**MADAME PERNET DUCHER**—Called the yellow Pres. Carnot.

**MADAME PHILLIPE RIVOIRE**—Apricot-yellow, touched carmine.  
**MADAME SCHWALLER**—Deep pink, deliciously fragrant; hardy.  
**MADAME SECONDE WEBER**—A beautiful grand deep pink.  
**MADAME VICTORIA GAGNIERE**—Blush-white, shaded tender rose.  
**MADAME WELCHE**—Amber-yellow, flushed with crimson.  
**MADEMOISELLE CECILE BERTHOD**—Deep rich golden-yellow.  
**MADEMOISELLE FRANZISCA KRUGER**—Deep coppery-yellow.  
**MADEMOISELLE HELENE GAMBIE**—Coppery-yellow; deep center.  
**MADEMOISELLE SIMONE BEAUMEZ**—White; yellow center.  
**MAGNAFRANO**—Magnificent buds of crimson-scarlet.  
**MAMAN COCHET**—No pink Rose can equal this one.  
**MARGARET**—A clear delicate tint of silvery-pink.  
**MARIE DUCHER**—Rich salmon, with fawn center.  
**MARIE GUILLOT**—The old standby for a pure white Rose.  
**MARIE VAN HOUTTE**—Straw-yellow, flushed with crimson.  
**MARQUIS DE QUERHOUT**—Coppery-yellow; extra fine.  
**MARY COUNTESS OF ILCHESTER**—A warm crimson-carmine.  
**MELODY**—Intense, pure, deep saffron-yellow.  
**METEOR**—A grand, rich dark crimson; superfine.  
**MISS ALICE DE ROTHSCHILD**—A rich, deep citron-yellow.  
**MISS KATE MOULTON**—Soft shell-pink; extra.  
**MOLLY SHARMAN CRAWFORD**—Pure dazzling white.  
**MRS. ARTHUR MUNT**—Ivory-white suffused peach-pink.  
**MRS. ARTHUR ROBERT WADDELL**—Clear, deep salmon yellow.  
**MRS. BENJAMIN R. CANT**—Deep, dark carmine; extra.  
**MRS. DAVID JARDINE**—Bright rosy-pink; shaded salmon.  
**MRS. DEGRAU**—Bright coral-pink; fine bedder.  
**MRS. G. W. KERSHAW**—Glowing, deep rose-pink; perfect.  
**MRS. HUBERT TAYLOR**—Shell-pink, edged with ivory-white.  
**MRS. P. H. COATS**—Sulphur-yellow, changing to white.  
**MRS. ROBERT GARRETT**—A grand deep pink with long bud.  
**MRS. WILFRED LLOYD**—Lovely bright rose pink; grand.  
**MURIEL GRAHAM**—Pale cream, faintly blushed rose.  
**MY MARYLAND**—Clear glowing pink; extra.  
**NITA WELDON**—Ivory-white, edges of petals blush.  
**OLIVIA**—Bright red; a grand garden Rose.  
**OTTO VON BISMARCK**—Beautiful "La France" pink.  
**PAPA GONTIER**—Rosy-crimson, fine long bud.  
**PAULA**—Sulphur-yellow with ochre center.  
**PEERLESS**—Pure white, with pale flesh center.  
**PERLE DES JARDINS**—Clear golden-yellow; very rich.  
**PERLE VON GODESBURG**—Pure white with yellow center.  
**PHARISAER**—Rosy-white, shaded salmon; extra fine.  
**PIERRE GUILLOT**—Enormous, rich crimson blooms; none finer.  
**PRINCE DEBULGARIE**—Coppery-yellow, golden center; extra.  
**PRINCESS BONNIE**—A grand, rich, bright red Rose.  
**PRINCESS SAGAN**—The color is a rich velvety-crimson; free.  
**PRINCIPAL A. H. PIRRIE**—Silvery-pink; salmon center.  
**QUEEN BEATRICE**—The finest of bright pink Roses.  
**QUEEN OF SPAIN**—Delicate flesh pink, deeper center.  
**RAINBOW**—Pink, striped and splashed, bright carmine.  
**REINE MARQUERITE d'ITALIE**—Bright carmine and vermilion.  
**RHEA REID**—Richest deep crimson; fine for garden.  
**RICHMOND**—Pure bright scarlet-red.  
**ROSE GUBERT**—Canary-yellow deepening at the center.  
**ROSEMARY**—A beautiful Rose of shining silvery-pink.  
**ROSOMANE GRAVEREAUX**—Deep silvery-pink and rosy-flesh.  
**SAFRANO**—Bright apricot, shaded saffron-yellow.  
**SENATEUR MASCOURAND**—Orange-yellow, deep and fine.  
**SNOWFLAKE**—Snow-white, most profuse bloomer of all Roses.  
**SOMBREUIL**—Pure white, tinged delicate pink; hardy.  
**SOUV. DE CATHERINE GUILLOT**—Coppery-yellow, shaded orange.  
**SOUV. DE LA MALMAISON**—Creamy-flesh, rose center.  
**SOUV. DE PIERRE NOTTING**—Orange-yellow, bordered carmine.  
**SOUV. d'UN AMI**—Bright pink; large and fine.  
**SOUV. OF WOOTTON**—Deep, rich red; large.  
**SUNRISE**—A combination of yellow and red; very pretty.  
**SUNSET**—Has the tints of a lovely golden sunset.  
**THE QUEEN**—Beautiful, large, pure white flowers; extra.  
**TRIUMPH DE PERNET PERE**—Magenta-red and rich crimson.  
**UNCLE JOHN**—A grand, bright pink Rose, of largest size.  
**VISCOUNTESS FOLKSTONE**—Pure white, faintly tinted fawn.  
**WELLESLEY**—Beautiful self pink, very bright in color.  
**W. E. LIPPIATT**—Brilliant velvety crimson and maroon.  
**WHITE BOUGERE**—Pure immaculate white; very free.  
**WHITE LA FRANCE**—Pure white with shadings of fawn.  
**WHITE MALMAISON**—Pure white, shaded lemon-yellow.  
**WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—The greatest of all White Roses.  
**WILLIAM NOTTING**—Deep coral-pink; extra.  
**WILLIAM R. SMITH**—A lovely salmon-pink; extra.  
**WILLIAM SHEAN**—Purest pink, of the largest size.  
**WINNIE DAVIS**—Apricot-pink with Aurora Borealis tints.  
**YELLOW MAMAN COCHET**—Golden-yellow flushed crimson.  
**YVONNE VACHEROT**—Porcelain-white, retouched with red.



CLIMBING WHITE MAMAN COCHET  
 (For Description See Page 10)

# TENDER CLIMBING ROSES Newer Varieties and Some That Are Scarce

These Roses are suitable for planting in the Southern States and on the Pacific Coast. All have beautiful flowers.

**ALINE SCHNEIDER**—A fine climber. Canary-yellow with deep golden-yellow center. Its clear golden color gives it a place that is quite its own. Bloom large and double; sweetly scented. **15 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**CLIMBING GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**—An exact counterpart of the bush form of that superb Rose Gruss an Teplitz except that it is a vigorous climber. A perfect sheet of dazzling crimson when in bloom; first class in every way. **15 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**CLIMBING HELEN GOULD**—Probably no red Rose has held its place secure in the hearts of Rose lovers for so long a period as has the beautiful Helen Gould. We have now the pleasure of introducing this famous Rose in climbing form. Everybody is familiar with the warm watermelon-red color of its charming flowers. This is a grand climber. Be sure and try it. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**CLIMBING LIBERTY**—(W. Paul & Son, 1909.) (C. H. T.) A climbing form of Liberty. Color brilliant velvety crimson; flowers of good size and beautifully formed; a superb variety for any purpose, the blooms lasting well when cut; very free flowering. When you see this dazzling rich Rose you will never forget it. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**CLIMBING MADAME WELCHE**—A new climbing Tea Rose of great promise; a sport from Mme. Welche. The color is soft amber-yellow flushed with carmine; a glorious Rose. **15 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**CLIMBING RICHMOND**—In all respects except growth identical with the normal type, from which it originated. The growth is most vigorous and of true climbing character. On account of its unique color and free flowering habit, it is an important addition to the climbing Rose section. Color pure rich scarlet. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**CLIMBING WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—If there is one Rose that stands out in the affections of the people more than another it is White Maman Cochet. We grow many thousand more plants of White Maman Cochet than any other variety. Here we have a climbing form that will become as popular a climber as its parent has as a bush Rose. Grand, huge white flowers, tinged pink. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**GAINSBOROUGH**—We are proud of the fact that we introduced this Rose. Its delicate coloring is difficult to describe, being delicately tinged fawn, almost white and lustrous as satin. When in full bloom it resembles a large, fine, white fluffy Peony, but without a suggestion of stiffness, often measuring eight to nine inches in diameter. An enthusiastic admirer from the state of Oregon describes it as a Rose reminding him of a beautiful girl wearing a light colored Gainsborough hat, ornamented with white ostrich plumes, hence the suggestion of its name. Be sure and try this grand Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**GLOIRE DE DIJON**—Color buff, with orange center; very large and very double and full; the first to flower, and keeps on until the very last; the hardiest of any of the Tea Roses, and deliciously tea-scented. Good in any situation, either as a bush or pillar Rose. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MAMIE**—A Rose that has been out for some time, but in the shuffle became lost. It has so many points of great excellence that we have resurrected it, and we predict that before many moons have rolled around it will be planted largely. It is a strong grower with buds and flowers of the largest and most perfect shape and form. The color is exquisite, being a delicate fawn with heart of pink. One of the most beautiful of light-colored Roses. Don't forget this Rose. It will make a place for itself among the leaders. Since the above was written a couple of years ago, the demand for this Rose has exceeded our facilities for producing it. It is simply in a class by itself. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**MARECHAL NIEL**—This is the old standby yellow Rose in the South, where it is hardy; indeed, it will bloom in any garden, but is not hardy in the North. Immense deep golden-yellow flowers with the deepest, richest, tea fragrance of all Roses. **15 cents each; stronger plants, 25 to 50 cents, according to size; strong, one-year-old, \$1.00; two years old, \$1.50; three years old, \$2.00.**

**PILLAR OF GOLD**—The blooms are double to the center, of the largest size, and come in immense bouquets of from five to ten blooms on a single branch, and the effect throughout the blooming season is a perfect sheet of color. The color, ruby-red suffused with golden-yellow, is a happy combination. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**STRIPED REINE MARIE HENRIETTE**—A Rose that has all the good qualities of Reine Marie Henriette. With this added qualification it is the most beautifully striped. The color is deep rosy-carmine, exquisitely striped vivid carmine; distinct and fine. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

# TENDER CLIMBING ROSES Standard Varieties

INCLUDING THE NOISETTES, CLIMBING TEAS AND CLIMBING HYBRID TEAS

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; any Six for 50 cents. Large two-year-old plants, 35 cents each; three for \$1.00

**BARDOU JOB**—Bright glowing crimson, shaded velvety black; almost single with very large petals; free bloomer. A Rose when once seen never to be forgotten.

**CELINE FORRESTIER**—Sulphur-yellow with deeper center; abundant bloomer; very pretty.

**CLIMBING BELLE SIEBRECHT**—An exact counterpart of Belle Siebrecht except its climbing habit; clear imperial or shell-pink. Gold medal N. R. S.

**CLIMBING BRIDESMAID**—Like Bridesmaid, but with climbing habit; clear pink.

**CLIMBING CLOTHILDE SOUPERT**—Identical with Clothilde Soupert except that it is a vigorous climber.

**CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS**—Creamy-white, blush center; full, fine form; distinct and good; fragrant.

**CLIMBING KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—Also known as Mrs. Robt. Peary. A strong climbing form of the beautiful variety of same name now so well known. Pure white.

**CLIMBING KILLARNEY**—An exact counterpart of Killarney in every respect except that it is of vigorous climbing habit; deep shell-pink. This will prove a great Rose wherever a climber is needed.

**CLIMBING MADAME CAROLINE TESTOUT**—A rampant climber. In flower identical with Mme. C. Testout. Beautiful glowing pink. You can't beat it.

**CLIMBING MADEMOISELLE CECILE BRUNNER**—Rosy-pink on a rich creamy-white ground. This is the strongest growing Rose of our entire list, barring none. We believe it to be the most vigorous Rose in the world.

**CLIMBING MARIE GUILLOT**—This Rose is also known as President Cleveland and Frances E. Willard. A grand pure white Rose of great merit.

**CLIMBING METEOR**—A grand climber; color velvety maroon; very free bloomer.

**CLIMBING PAPA GONTIER**—A climbing sport of Papa Gontier, retaining its free flowering character. Color rich red; a beauty.

**CLIMBING PAUL NEYRON**—Bright satiny-rose changing to Carnation-pink; fine bud and large, full flower.

**CLIMBING PERLE DES JARDINS**—A strong growing form of Perle des Jardins; color deep golden-yellow.

**CLIMBING SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON**—Clear flesh, edged with blush; large; very double; deliciously scented.

**CLIMBING SOUVENIR OF WOOTTON**—A rampant climber, bearing deep crimson flowers of the largest size.

**CLOTH OF GOLD, or CHROMATELLA**—Sulphur-yellow, deeper center; large and double.

**DUCHESS DE AUERSTADT**—This is a very fine Rose with large, full, perfectly double flowers; color, vivid nankens-yellow. A fine climbing Tea Rose, and one that is very popular on the Pacific Coast.

**ELIE BEAUVILLAIN**—A beautiful salmon-fawn; on the order of Gloire de Dijon.

**JAMES SPRUNT**—Deep cherry-red; very double and hardy.

**LAMARQUE**—White shaded lemon; large, very sweet scented; an excellent variety.

**MADAME JULES GRAVEREAUX**—Deep yellow, center rosy-peach; large, full and very fine.

**REINE MARIE HENRIETTE**—Deep cherry-red. This Rose takes the lead as a climber from New Orleans to Philadelphia.

**REVE D'OR, or GOLDEN CHAIN**—Buff-yellow, very free bloomer; very pretty. Strong grower; will do well in any situation.

**RUTH VESTAL, or CLIMBING BRIDE**—A lovely pure white climbing form of the Bride. We predict a great future for this Rose.

**SOLFATARE**—Fine, clear sulphur-yellow; very fine, large shapely bud with fully double open flower. Extra fine.

**WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON**—Very deep orange-yellow; medium size, but extremely showy and distinct; very attractive.

**ZELIA PRADEL**—Lemon-yellow changing to creamy-white; very fine.

# Newer Varieties Polyantha or BABY RAMBLER ROSES

as edgings for borders they are hardy. Let us tell you something about these miniature Roses. While Europe has appreciated these Roses for years, America is just beginning to wake up to the fact that they have come to stay, and anyone who attempts to handle Roses without including this class will bump into something real hard. They are useful, either pot grown or for bedding purposes or for hedge effects. They completely hide the plant with bloom from early till late. They are hardy.

**ATROPURPUREA**—This variety completely hides the plant with its deep purplish-red flowers in immense clusters. We believe this fine variety will supersede Baby Rambler or Madame Norbert Levasseur. We think it a better bloomer, and the color is a decided improvement over that variety. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**BABY TAUSENDSCHOEN**—This Rose was formerly named "Louise Welter." Its flowers are large and so much like Tausendschoen, that it has been rechristened "Baby Tausendschoen." It is a bush form of the "Climbing Tausendschoen" or "Thousand Beauties," having all the charm in the variable coloring in its flowers that its parent has, being firm white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine. This is a splendid Rose. Try it. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**ERNA TESCHENDORFF**—A sport from "Madame Norbert Levasseur," which it resembles with regard to habit of growth and foliage, etc. The flowers are of a deep crimson color, flushed with carmine, resembling the dazzling color of "Cruss an Teplitz." This variety does not lose its color in the hottest sun and has no purple shades. It has received many awards on the continent, and is said to be the darkest Polyantha in existence. It is much sought after in America to bloom in pots during the winter and for Easter time. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**JESSIE**—This new Baby Rambler is an ideal Rose for massing, bedding or for pot culture. The flowers, which are produced in huge clusters, are of a bright cherry-crimson color which does not fade. Superb. The best of all the Baby Ramblers for pot culture. **15 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**MRS. TAFT**—This is the improved Baby Rambler; clear red in color, not fading like Baby Rambler. Certificate of merit of the London Horticultural Society. **15 cents, two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**ORLEANS ROSE**—The showiest and prettiest of all the Baby Ramblers. This charming and dainty Rose is of beautiful rounded habit and is a huge bouquet of deep cerise or Geranium-pink with distinct showy center of pure white; florets not crowded but of beautiful arrangement, making as a whole a charming combination that cannot be beaten. The color is irresistible. The plant grows like a weed and the flowers are nearly "immortelle" in their lasting qualities. We believe that they will outlast almost any other Rose in existence with their stiff paper-like texture. This pretty Rose has taken Europe by storm and will make a sensation as soon as known in this country. Awarded gold medal. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cts.**

**RODHATTE (Little Red Riding Hood)**—Clear cherry-red, shaded deep crimson, with a lustrous finish, comes in immense clusters. Very vigorous and free flowering. Fine for massing. The growth resembles the Hybrid Teas. A glorious Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cts.**



BABY RAMBLER ROSE, ORLEANS. A perfect sheet of bloom all summer long.

## Standard Varieties Including the Hybrid Polyanthas. They are Hardy Polyantha or Baby Rambler Roses

Price, 10 cents each, Six for 50 cents; Two-Year Plants, 35 cents.

**ANNA MULLER**—This Rose is very much the same as the Crimson Baby Rambler, except in the color of its flowers, which are a shiny, brilliant pink produced in the greatest profusion in large clusters. It is a splendid companion to the other excellent members of this family. This is the original pink Baby Rambler.

**BABY RAMBLER, or MADAME N. LEVAVASSEUR**—This is the original Baby Rambler, daddy of them all. It is in bloom all the time, flowers in large clusters of brightest crimson. It grows to a height of eighteen inches and hides the plant with its bloom. A most wonderful Rose.

**CATHERINE ZEIMET, or WHITE BABY RAMBLER**—This is surely a beauty and a great addition to the Baby Ramblers. Grows to a height of twenty inches and produces double pure white flowers in abundance. It has a fragrance similar to Hyacinths, of free, compact growth and very attractive. It produces a sheet of white bloom that is certainly a sight worth seeing.

**CLOTHILDE SOUPERT**—Known the world over as one of the very best of all bedding Roses. The only rival of "Hermosa," as a bedder and market pot plant. The color effect is beautiful ivory-white, shading towards the center to bright silvery pink. Everybody's Rose.

**MADemoiselle CECILE BRUNNER**—In the past year or two this Rose has fairly jumped into popularity. It always was a popular outdoor Rose on the Pacific Coast, but recently even in the effete East and everywhere in America they are planting it simply by the thousands for cut flowers. It has become quite the rage. It makes a handsome miniature Rose coming on stems singly. The bud and flower are both handsome. Color blush, shaded light salmon-pink; distinct and desirable.

**MARIE PAVIE**—Of good size; very full and double; borne in large clusters; white flushed with carmine; delightfully perfumed; a great bloomer.

**MOSELLA**—Bears large flowers for this class; center of flower chrome-yellow; edges of petals shading out to creamy-white. A fine bedding Rose.

**MRS. WILLIAM H. CUTBUSH**—One of the very finest types of the Baby Rambler Roses. It produces in constant profusion throughout the entire summer its pleasing delicate pink blooms in large trusses; also extra fine for pot culture.

**PAQUERETTE**—This is one among the very first Baby Rambler Roses sent out. The flowers are very double and pure white. This Rose has many favorites.

**PERLE d'OR**—Nankeen-yellow with orange center; very novel and beautiful. This Rose is dividing honors with "Mlle Cecile Brunner," as a cut flower, being planted very largely for this purpose. A charming miniature Rose.

**PRIMULA**—Considered by many to be the most popular of the Baby Rambler Roses. Grows to a height of two feet. Very hardy. Always in bloom. The color is the shade of the Lawson Carnation—beautiful carmine-pink. For ourselves, we are very fond of the Rose.

**SCHNEEWITCHEN, SNOW WITCH**—An ideal sort for garden culture, having a round, compact habit, with very full trusses of evenly disposed flowers, which are perfect in form and semi-double. Color glistening ivory-white, with golden stamens; extra.

# HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

## NEWER VARIETIES AND A FEW THAT ARE SCARCE

Including the Ramblers, Cl., Polyanthas, Wichuraiana, Multifloras, Hybrid Noisettes, Setigera and Climbing Chinas

These Roses are suitable for planting where they can climb on walls, fences, galleries, porches, pillars, pergolas, arches, etc.; in fact, wherever a hardy climber is required. This list includes Ramblers, Climbing Polyanthas, Wichuraianas, etc.

**AMERICAN PILLAR**—A single flowering variety of great beauty, which appeals to every one. The flowers are of enormous size, three to four inches across, of a lovely shade of apple-blossom pink, with a clear white eye and cluster of yellow stamens. These flowers are borne in immense bunches, and a large plant in full bloom is a sight not easily forgotten. They last in perfection a long time, and are followed by brilliant red hips or berries, which are carried late into the winter; and as the plant frequently retains its lovely green foliage until the end of November, it forms a beautiful decorative subject throughout the autumn months. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY**—A seedling from American Beauty with Wichuraiana and Tea blood in its veins. The introducers say of it: "Same color, size and fragrance as American Beauty, with the addition of the climbing habit. Good foliage, and better blooming qualities. One plant of this new Rose will produce twenty times as many flowers in June as the old American Beauty, besides blooming occasionally during the summer. Blooms three to four inches across; has proved perfectly hardy and stands heat and drought as well as any Rose in our collection." This Rose has already made its mark, and wherever it has been planted it has pleased until today we sell it by the tens of thousands. You lose if you are slow to take hold of "Climbing American Beauty." It grows and blooms. **25 cents; two-year plants, 60 cents.**

**CLIMBING BABY RAMBLER, or MISS G. MESSMAN**—This is a true ever-blooming Crimson Rambler, for at this writing (August 1st) it is in full bloom in the garden with enormous heads of richest crimson. There has been a widespread demand for a Crimson Rambler that would bloom more than once. Here you have it. Everyone knows how Baby Rambler is always in bloom. This is simply a climbing form of the Baby Rambler, embracing all its good qualities. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**CLIMBING FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**—As "Frau Karl Druschki" or "White American Beauty" has become the leading white Rose this will undoubtedly follow and become the most popular climbing white Rose. It is entirely hardy and is an exact counterpart of "Frau Karl Druschki" in every way except that it is a most vigorous climber. Pure paper-white flowers. Superb in every way. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**CLIMBING MRS. WM. H. CUTBUSH**—One of the finest types of the Climbing Baby Roses; of dwarf growth, producing in constant profusion flowers of a pleasing bright pink; borne in huge trusses; fine. **15 cents; two-year plants, 40 cents.**

**GRAF ZEPPELIN**—A brilliant rose-colored flower that attracts from a great distance; vigor of Crimson Rambler. Cupped form; double. In immense trusses; unusually floriferous. This Rose is unsurpassed as a climber. **15 cents; two-year plants, 40c.**

**DR. W. VAN FLEET**—Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkable delicate shade of flesh pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy-flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed. It very much resembles Souv. de Pres. Carnot in color. Superb. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cts.**

**HIAWATHA**—This Rose is just coming into its own, being largely forced in pots for Easter time and its good qualities as a grand outdoor climber are becoming known. There is no other Rose so brilliant as Hiawatha. It must be seen to be appreciated. Its flowers are about one and one-half inches across, and produced in long, pendulous sprays, with frequently from forty to fifty flowers on a spray. In color it is brilliant, ruby-carmine, with a clear white eye and a mass of golden stamens—a glowing combination of colors, which can be seen at a great distance, and which does not tire the eye as do masses of Crimson Rambler. The plant is of strong, vigorous growth, with bright green, glossy foliage, which is retained until late in fall. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**RED DOROTHY PERKINS, or EXCELSA**—It is a good deal to claim for a Rose, but we are within bounds when we describe Excelsa as a brilliant Crimson Rambler flower on glossy, varnished Wichuraiana foliage. The defects of Crimson Rambler are its unsightly foliage in unseasonable weather, and its defoliation by insects; the infusion of Wichuraiana blood assures an ornamental climber which is nearly evergreen, and this will assure this lovely crimson-scarlet pillar Rose a place in every American garden, for it is quite hardy in addition to all its other fine points. The flowers are very double, produced in large trusses of thirty to forty, and almost every eye on a shoot produces clusters of flowers. The color is intense crimson-maroon, the tips of the petals tinged with scarlet. The finest of all Crimson Ramblers. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**SHOWER OF GOLD**—This variety produces masses of flowers in large clusters. The color is a deep golden-yellow, with orange shadings in the center. Enormous lateral branches are produced, which are densely clad with glossy green foliage that resists disease. This fills the "long felt want" for a "Yellow Rambler." **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**TAUSENDSCHOEN, or THOUSAND BEAUTIES**—A Climbing Rose that comes to us from Germany. The flowers upon first opening are the most delicate shade of pink ever seen in a Rose, might be described as a white delicately flushed pink changing to rosy-carmine. It gets its name from its many flowers and the variation in coloring; beautiful; will become as famous as Crimson Rambler or Dorothy Perkins. We wrote the above two years ago, and now we can add that this Rose is sweeping the country like a prairie fire. You can word paint all you want to and then you will have left something unsaid. Simply a wonder. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**VEILCHENBLAU, The Blue Rose**—The most wonderful Rose of the century for the reason that it marks a decided advance in the color of the Rose hitherto only dreamed of. Veilchenblau or Violet Blue is the proper name, but no doubt it will be known in America as the Blue Rose. This Rose is going to have a larger sale by far than Crimson Rambler. Have we seen it flower? Well, we guess yes, and our word for it if you want something to cause you to stop and take notice, the Blue Rose will fill the bill. At a distance of fifty or a hundred feet a bush of the Blue Rose in full bloom will startle you. A seedling from Crimson Rambler, semi-double flowers larger than that variety, produced in large trusses. This Rose first opens reddish-lilac but quickly changes to amethyst and steel-blue, finishing violet-blue. Very distinct and extremely pleasing. A wonder. Going to sell? Yes, everybody will want and will demand the Blue Rose. **20 cents; two-year plant, 50 cents.**

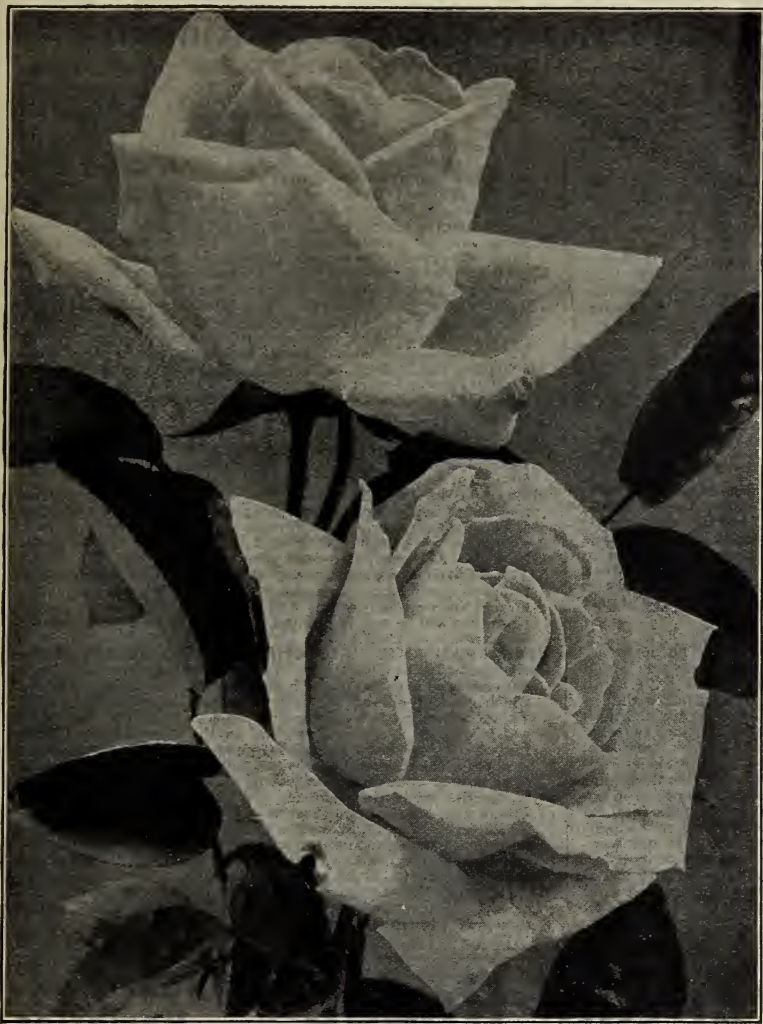
**WARTBURG**—This is a strong growing Rose, a seedling from Tausendschoen, with charming carmine-colored bloom in huge trusses. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**WHITE DOROTHY PERKINS**—(B. R. Cant, 1908.) (W.) It has been the cry of nurserymen for years for a white climber that would rank up with Crimson Rambler, and now we have the pleasure of offering this White Dorothy Perkins that in every way is the equal, if not superior, to Crimson Rambler as a red, and Dorothy Perkins as a pink. This Rose has no rival as a white climber. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**



TAUSENDSCHOEN, OR THOUSAND BEAUTIES.





FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. (For Description See Page 14)

# Hybrid Perpetual Roses

## Newer and Scarce Varieties

The first Hybrid Perpetuals were grown from crosses between Hybrid China and Tea Scented Roses with Gallica and Bourbon Roses. This is a beautiful class and cannot be too highly recommended, including, as it does, many of the hardiest early and late flowering kinds, and nearly all of the superb rich crimson red and pink varieties which make such pleasing contrasts to the yellow and white Teas. These are hardy.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY**—Not a new Rose, but a great favorite with everybody. It is the largest of all red Roses. Always scarce. We have a fine stock. 25 cents; two-year plants, 60 cents.

**BARBAROSSA (The Red Frau Karl Druschki.)** A noteworthy new Hybrid Perpetual that has jumped into favor in a very short time. It is very large and full; color a brilliant tone of pure carmine-red; very free bloomer, and deliciously fragrant. 20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

**CAPTAIN HAYWARD**—This Rose ranks up at the top of the list. Mr. Crowell, the noted rosarian, claims for this the very best of all red Hybrids. Color deep glowing crimson, very bright and rich, of the largest size. We know of no red hybrid that in any way compares with it. 20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.

# HARDY CLIMBING ROSES STANDARD VARIETIES

Price, 10 Cents, Any Three for 25 Cents, Any Six for 50 Cents; Two-Year-Old, 35 Cents, Three for 90 Cents

**ALBERIC BARBIER**—Creamy-white with canary-yellow center; buds of orange-yellow. The flowers are semi-double in immense clusters. A very fine early flowering variety.

**BALTIMORE BELLE**—Blush-white; in large clusters. A splendid hardy climber.

**CAROLINE MARNIESSE**—This is a hardy Noisette Rose; blush-white; very free bloomer.

**CRIMSON RAMBLER**—Bright crimson flowers produced in large clusters of pyramidal form; grand variety for pillars and arches and to train over porches; also makes a fine attractive hedge. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S.

**DOROTHY PERKINS**—A most brilliant shell-pink; the flowers are borne in large clusters of small double blooms and are very sweetly scented; quite first-class.

**EMPRESS OF CHINA**—Bright pink; in large clusters.

**EVERGREEN GEM**—Yellow in bud opening to almost white and perfectly double; early flowering.

**FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD**—This is the much-heralded perpetual flowering Crimson Rambler; bright rich red.

**GARDENIA**—Bright yellow, cream color when open; very fragrant and free; early flowering.

**GOLDFINCH**—Buds deep yellow, opening lemon-white.

**LADY GAY**—Deep rich rose color, similar in all respects to Dorothy Perkins, but the flowers are large and the color deeper; late flowering.

**MADAME ALFRED CARRIERE**—Pure white suffused with yellow at base of petals; very free and fragrant; fine for arches and pillars. In Ohio this is a wonderful Rose, completely hiding itself with flowers. In Oregon it grows to the roofs of two-story houses, covering the entire side or end of a large sized house and simply a wilderness of blooms.

**MANDA'S TRIUMPH**—Large clusters of double white flowers; sweetly scented.

**MARY WASHINGTON**—Pure white, perfectly double, in immense clusters; fine.

**PHILADELPHIA RAMBLER**—Glowing crimson, large clusters; fine; several shades darker in color than Crimson Rambler.

**PINK RAMBLER**—Bright pink; produced in large clusters.

**PRAIRIE QUEEN**—The old standby red climber. It is so hardy that it delights in the climate of Alaska and Canada.

**RUSSELL'S COTTAGE**—Dark red, double and full; very hardy.

**SEVEN SISTERS**—Crimson to white and all intermediate shades; extra.

**SOUTH ORANGE PERFECTION**—Soft pink or blush changing to white.

**TENNESSEE BELLE**—Beautiful pink; free bloomer; an old standby.

**TRIER**—Large clusters of creamy-white blooms with dark yellow anthers, flowering freely; quite hardy.

**WHITE RAMBLER**—Small flowers of pure white, produced in large clusters; fine.

**WILLIAM C. EAGAN**—A grand climber producing in great abundance delightful rose-colored flowers.

**YELLOW RAMBLER**—Bright yellow changing to canary yellow; produced in pyramidal clusters of fifty or more blooms.

## HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued

**CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER**—This Rose has Rugosa blood in its make up and is classed by some as a Hybrid Rugosa; it's the best Hybrid Perpetual you have ever known. This is a grand Rose, a vigorous grower, and free bloomer; flowers large, perfectly double, cup-shaped. Color deep, bright, vivid, intense pink, with the penetrating fragrance of the old June Roses. We have grown this Rose for four years, in sections of the country from Canada to the Gulf, and we have no hesitancy in saying after the most thorough and rigid test that a Rose can be put to that this Rose is in every respect just what we claim for it. That is, the very best all around Rose ever introduced by anyone, and to this we make not a single exception. It grows vigorously, it blooms freely, is absolutely hardy, flowers of the largest size; the form is perfect, the coloring unequalled and the fragrance delicious. Can you ask more? **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND**—A strikingly distinct and beautiful Rose of decided merit. The blooms are freely produced. Large, full and conical. The petals are unusually large, massive, smooth and erect, building up a flower which is a whorl of delight and possessing a sweet briar perfume. The color is certainly novel—delicate warm rose-pink, with lemon shading on the white base; extra fine. **25 cents; two-year plants, 60 cents.**

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI (White American Beauty)**—Has become renowned and justly so. It produces flowers in the garden that are better than American Beauty when forced under glass. The color is marvelously white, without a tinge of yellow or any other shade, a pure paper-white, hardy as an oak. We make a specialty of this wonderful Rose, our stock being absolutely true, this we guarantee. The true stock is exceedingly scarce. The one best hardy white Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**GEORGE DICKSON**—(Alex. Dickson, 1912.) The introducers of this new Rose say: "This is the best Rose ever raised by us. We make this statement advisedly and with a full sense of our responsibility. The Rose is named after the senior member of our firm, who is now approaching his eightieth birthday. We are quite satisfied that within two years George Dickson will be the most popular exhibition Rose in existence. As near as we can describe it, the color is a velvety black-crimson, the back of the petal being heavily veined with deep pure crimson-maroon. The petals are of splendid shape; of magnificent substance; delightfully smooth, and built to make the form of flower perfection. We have regularly had blooms of the highest exhibition standard quite five inches across. It has wonderful lasting qualities, not only as to the retention of its color, but also in its shape and freshness. Awarded the gold medal of the National Rose Society of England, besides many other first awards at various shows in England and Ireland." **50 cents; two-year plants, \$1.00.**

**HIS MAJESTY**—The crimson Frau Karl Druschki. Another Rose classed by some as a Hybrid Tea. Dark deep crimson, shaded deep vermilion-crimson towards the edges. The blooms are full, of great size, having wonderful substance and depth of petal, with high pointed center. It is also one of the sweetest perfumed Roses in cultivation. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S., 1908. A grand all around Red Hybrid. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**JOSEPH HENSLOW**—Growth vigorous and erect, with handsome foliage. Flowers large, full and of perfect form. Color, a delightful orange-crimson; of great brilliancy; petals broad, round and of great substance; very sweetly scented. A fine Rose. **25 cents; two-year plants, 60 cents.**

**KING GEORGE V**—What Mr. Dickson himself says of this Rose: "The flower is very large and very full, opening freely; beautifully shaped; much resembling 'Madame Jules Gravereaux' in build of flower and petal. The petals are very abundant and nicely arranged. The color is quite unique amongst Hybrid Teas, being rich blackish-crimson, with deep velvety violet flush, a striking and brilliant color, not burning in the sun nor turning blue, as so many of our very dark Roses do. It is very free flowering and perpetual, and delights in a warm sun. The perfume is strong and very pleasing. This is one of the finest novelties which we have ever sent out and has elicited universal admiration wherever shown. Awarded the gold medal of the Festival of Empire, Crystal Palace, London, June 29th, 1911." **50 cents; two-year plants, \$1.00.**

**MRS. STEWART CLARK**—Color varying from bright cerise-pink to brilliant rose or cherry-pink, with distinct zone of white at the base of each petal. Flowers of immense size and great substance. A grand Rose of delicious perfume. Gold medal, N. R. S. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**NOVA ZEMBLA**—A sport from Conrad F. Meyer, inheriting all the good qualities of its parent with the added merit that the flowers are pure white, full and sweet scented; very fine. A Rose that will be widely planted. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

**PINK FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI or GEORGE ARENDS**—(Hinner, 1910.) This is the wonderful "Pink Druschki." Do not confound it with the much inferior sort "Heinrich Munch," which is being offered in some quarters as "Pink Druschki." This Rose we predict will have as large a following and be as widely planted in a very few years as the now famous "White Druschki." We have looked it over in the field and grown it in pots for the market, and we absolutely cannot detect a single fault in it or about it. The growth and make-up of the plants is superb, while the delicate pink color is unapproachable. Thank you, Mr. Hinner. You have enriched our Rose collection for all time. You know what some of you missed by delaying so long in getting acquainted with "Frau Karl Druschki." Do not repeat this mistake with "George Arends." **50 cents; two-year plants, \$1.00.**

**SACHENGRUSS**—Delicate tender flesh, center deepening to a delightful carnation-pink with reflex of chamois. **25 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

# Hybrid Perpetual Roses Standard Varieties

All are hardy. Price, 15 cents; any four for 50 cents; any nine for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 40 cents; three for \$1.00; any six for \$1.75.]

**ALFRED COLOMB**—Bright red, very large, full and globular; free blooming and fragrant; a grand Rose.

**ANNE DE DIESBACH**—The famous "Glory of Paris." Bright deep clear pink, of largest size; fine bud and open flower.

**ANNIE WOOD**—Clear red; very large and full; fine form; fragrant.

**AVOCA**—Brilliant velvety crimson; buds very long.

**BARON DE BONSTETTEN**—Velvety blackish-crimson; large and full.

**BLACK PRINCE**—Deep blackish-crimson; large, full and globular; very free flowering.

**BOULE DE NEIGE, or BALL OF SNOW**—Pure white, flushed rose; very floriferous.

**CAPTAIN CHRISTY**—Delicate peachblow-pink, center richer in color; large and full. Abroad this Rose is classed with the Hybrid Teas.

**CHARLES LEFEBRE**—Fine brilliant velvety crimson; very large and double and of superb form; must take rank as one of the best.

**CLIO**—Flesh color shaded in the center to rosy-peach. Large, fine, globular form; free bloomer and distinct.

**COQUETTE DES ALPES**—Pure white, delicately tinted blush on first opening.

**DUC DE ROHAN**—A clear dazzling red; very brilliant and beautiful.

**DUKE OF EDINBURGH**—Very bright vermilion; extra large and full; a distinct and splendid variety. Should be in everyone's garden.

**EARL OF DUFFERIN**—Rich velvety crimson shaded with dark maroon. Very large, full and fine form.

**EUGENE FURST**—Deep red shading to crimson; profuse bloomer.

**E. Y. TEAS**—Very bright red; large and very full.

**FISHER HOLMES**—Crimson-scarlet shaded deeper; large, full and perfect form; very beautiful and free.

**FRANCOIS LEVET**—Deep rose, of large size, very free bloomer; extra fine.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**—Crimson-scarlet; large, full; very fragrant; excellent.

**GLOIRE L'EXPOSITION DE BRUXELLES**—Large, full, dark crimson; the deepest of the Hybrid Perpetuals.

**GLOIRE DE MARGOTTIN**—Very dazzling red, extremely showy.

**GLOIRE LYONNAISE**—Very large, full flowers. Color white, base of petals canary; Tea Rose perfume. An excellent Rose.

**GUSTAVE PIGANEAU**—Carmine-lake; very large. A grand garden Rose.

**HUGH DICKSON**—A vigorous free grower and perpetual bloomer with fine foliage; color brilliant crimson shaded scarlet; large and fine form, opening well in all weathers. Very sweetly scented.

**J. B. CLARK**—Deep scarlet shaded blackish-crimson. A most unique Rose.

**JOHN HOPPER**—Bright rose, reverse of petals pale lilac; very large and double; free bloomer.

**JUBILEE**—A pure crimson with shadings of maroon; a grand Rose from every point of view.

**LOUIS VAN HOUTTE**—Deep crimson shaded maroon, most vivid and distinct; large, full and fine form.

**MADAME CHARLES WOOD**—Bright cherry-red; extremely free bloomer. A grand garden Rose.

**MADAM MASSON**—This is a glorious Rose. The flower is of the largest size. Color bright brilliant red; free bloomer. Sweetly scented.

**MADAME PLANTIER**—Extremely hardy; vigorous grower; completely hides itself in June with its lovely pure white sweet-scented flowers; fine. This is strictly speaking not a Hybrid Perpetual, but we place it with the Hybrid Perpetuals for convenience sake.

# HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES, Standard Varieties—Continued

**MAGNA CHARTA**—Bright rose, very large and double, of good form and fragrant; extra.  
**MARCHIONESS OF LORNE**—Produces flowers of an exceedingly rich rose color, shaded in center with vivid carmine; extra fine.  
**MARGARET DICKSON**—White with delicate flesh center; large of good substance; fine form. Awarded gold medal, N.R.S.  
**MARIE BAUMANN**—Soft carmine-red; very large, full, perfect form, free blooming.  
**MARSHALL P. WILDER**—A great many persons will not give up to the contention that this is the ne plus ultra in red Roses. It certainly is a hummer and hard to beat. Deep, rich glowing red.  
**MRS. JOHN LAING**—A splendid Rose, perfectly hardy, with immense flowers; full and double; borne in great profusion. Color clear bright shining pink; exquisitely shaded. Awarded gold medal, N. R. S. Cannot be too highly recommended.

**MRS. R. G. SHARMAN CRAWFORD**—Clear rosy-pink; the outer petals shaded with pale flesh; one of the very finest Roses grown. Gold medal, N. R. S.  
**PAUL NEYRON**—Deep rose; flowers of immense size; indeed many claim this to be the largest Rose grown.  
**PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN**—Deep velvety crimson-maroon, full and of good form and perhaps the best of all the hardy dark Roses.  
**ROBERT DUNCAN**—Bright crimson flushed with rosy-lake; very floriferous; fragrant.  
**ROBERT LAMBELIN**—Glowing velvety crimson; each petal distinctly edged with pure white.  
**ULRICH BRUNNER**—Cherry-red of immense size; fine form and most effective in the garden. Should be in everyone's collection.  
**VICK'S CAPRICE**—Large, full. Color bright satiny pink, striped white and carmine; a very distinct Rose.

## RUGOSA ROSES

The Rugosa Roses are natives of Japan, and are nearly all allied botanically to the microphylla Roses. They form sturdy, disease-resisting bushes, almost evergreen in the coldest climate. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**  
**NEW CENTURY**—A grand Rose that is entirely hardy, bearing beautiful silvery-pink flowers in clusters. This Rose is in bloom all the time. Extra fine for nurserymen.  
**SIR THOMAS LIPTON**—The best pure white Rugosa Rose. Strong and vigorous; grows four feet high. Flowers perfectly double, pure snow-white. Fragrant, borne on long stems continuously throughout the season. Absolutely hardy everywhere. Splendid for hedging, cemetery and park work.

## MOSS ROSES

These are probably a sport of the Cabbage Rose. The origin of the double Moss Rose is left to conjecture. They have always been favorites, for what can be more elegant than the bud of the Moss Rose and more delicious than its fragrance. Perfectly hardy. **25 cents, the four for 80 cents. Two-year plants, 50 cents; the four for \$1.50.**  
**ELIZABETH ROWE**—This is an old favorite with its large deep pink buds well mossed. A beauty.  
**HENRI MARTIN**—Large full flower of deep red; well mossed; fragrant.  
**MOUSSELINE**—Pure white flower, buds heavily and beautifully mossed.  
**PRINCESS ADELAIDE**—Deep blush-pink with buds that are thoroughly mossed.

## MISCELLANEOUS ROSES

**10 cents; two-year-old plants, 40 cents except where noted.**  
**AMOENA (The Pink Flowering Cherokee Rose)**—This wonderfully beautiful Laevigata or Cherokee Rose was raised in California, and it will sweep the state like wild fire when it is once known. The flowers are the same as the white flowering Cherokee, except that the color is a glowing pink with golden-yellow center. Resembles huge apple blossoms. Stock scarce. We have a fine lot. **15 cents; two-year-old, 50 cents.**  
**DOUBLE LAEVIGATA (or the Double Flowering Cherokee)**—A beautiful hardy Rose, bearing double white flowers; very fine. The foliage of this Rose is very distinct.

**FORTUNE'S DOUBLE YELLOW (Or Beauty of Glazenwood)**—Yellow flaked with carmine; very charming color.  
**LAEVIGATA (The Single White Cherokee Rose)**—This is the famous Cherokee Rose so well known in California. Large pure white flowers with center filled with golden-yellow anthers.  
**MICROPHYLLA ALBA**—A most vigorous grower; very hardy; bears semi-double flowers of a creamy-white. This is the Rose Keystone you hear so much about.  
**RAMONA**—This is a true Laevigata or Cherokee Rose. The same shiny evergreen foliage but with rosy-red flowers. Very much in the way of "Mrs. B. R. Cant" as to color. We now have the white, pink and red Cherokee, all extremely desirable. Once seen never forgotten. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**  
**WHITE BANKSIA, or Lady Banks**—A vigorous grower, in California growing to the top of tall trees and completely enveloping the entire tree; small double pure white flowers in clusters, with the true Violet fragrance. Indeed, if one were blindfolded, they could not detect the odor from Violets. Very desirable. **15 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**  
**WICHMOSS or "BABY MOSS"**—This is a wonderful break in new Roses, being a cross between the "Wichuraiana" and "Moss Rose." It has retained the scendant habit of the "Wichuraiana," making long growths five to eight feet in length with the glazed resistant foliage, while the bud is heavily mossed in bright green and has the peculiar aromatic odor of the moss family. The flowers are borne in clusters that are a day-break-pink in color, opening into bloom that is a good semi-double in fullness. A climbing moss is a wonder, and "Wichmoss" is the forerunner of an entirely new family of Roses; hardy. **20 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**  
**WICHURAIANA or MEMORIAL ROSE**—(Dr. Wichura, of Japan, 1886.) It is difficult to conceive anything more appropriate, beautiful and enduring for covering graves and plots in cemeteries than the Hardy Memorial Rose. It creeps along the ground as closely as an Ivy. The flowers are produced in lavish profusion in July. They are single, pure white, with a golden-yellow disc, five to six inches in circumference. It is also immensely valuable as a Climbing Rose, for covering arches, fences, etc.  
**YELLOW BANKSIA, or Lady Banks**—Same as White Banksia, except color of bloom is sulphur-yellow. Has the same delicious Violet fragrance. **15 cents; two-year plants, 50 cents.**

# PERNETIANA ROSES or Austrian Briar

A new family of Roses; native of the south of Europe. The varieties we offer are new, and were introduced by the great French rosarian, Pernet Ducher, and Wm. Paul & Son, of England. They resist the coldest weather and produce flowers in the greatest abundance with strange colors not to be found in any other section of Roses.

**ARTHUR R. GOODWIN**—This is a genuine "Pernetiana," and is perfectly hardy everywhere. The color is coppery-orange-red passing to salmon-pink as the flowers expand. A superb combination of color; flowers medium to large and full. Should prove a most valuable Rose. As this variety grows from cuttings, we offer it on its own roots. **25 cents; two-year plants, 75 cents.**  
**JULIET**—A very distinct and attractive novelty, blooming both in summer and autumn. Strong, vigorous growth, with large and very double flowers; outside of petals old gold; interior rich rosy-red, changing to deep rose as the flowers expand. Of powerful and delicious fragrance. Has been universally admired wherever exhibited. A variety which is bound to create a sensation. Imported two-year budded plants, only **\$1.00.**  
**LYON ROSE**—(Named in honor of the city of Lyons, France, where these Roses were given to the world.) Pronounced by experts to be the most important introduction of modern times. Flowers large, full and double, of remarkable substance; shrimp-pink, edges coral-red or salmon-pink, shaded chrome-yellow; exceedingly fragrant and perfectly hardy. Has been awarded the highest prizes at the many exhibitions in Europe. Imported two-year budded plants, **\$1.00.**  
**RAYON D'OR (Rays of Gold)**—This is the Rose that won the gold medal awarded by the city of Paris at the international exhibition of new Roses held at Bagatelle in 1907 and 1909. It has taken prizes of honor at a number of other places. Entirely hardy. Rayon d'Or is undeniably the deepest of all the yellow colored Roses in existence. The bud is oval shaped, coppery-orange, streaked with brilliant scarlet bars. The open flowers are large, full, of fine globular form. Color on first opening superb cadmium-yellow. When fully expanded the color is a deep, brilliant sunflower-yellow, which does not fade. Produces its flowers in great profusion, and revels in all weathers. When massed it forms the most glowing decoration of the garden. An incomparable yellow Rose. Imported two-year budded plants, **\$1.50.**  
**SOLIEL D'OR (Golden Sun)** This Rose is the first of a new race unique in habit of growth and color. The flowers are large and globular, very full, the center petals well incurved giving a double effect. Color is a blending of golden-yellow and reddish-gold, shading to golden-orange and nasturtium-red. Deliciously fragrant. Very hardy and free-blooming. Imported two-year budded plants, **75 cents.**  
**VISCOUNT ENFIELD**—(Pernet Ducher, 1910.) (A. B.) Coppery old rose, shaded with yellow. The inner petals are deeply tinted with carmine, while the center ones are sometimes striped with yellow. Flower large, full, elongated; very floriferous. Imported two-year budded plants, **\$1.00.**



# SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF PEONIES—Concluded

- 2**—**BERLIOZ**—(Crousse, 1886.) Rose type; late, midseason. Enormous, full globular imbricated bloom; bright currant-red; petals tipped silver. **50 cents.**
- 11**—**CANARI**—(Guerin, 1861.) Bomb type; midseason. Primary petals, white flushed pink with deep primrose-yellow center. Sweetly fragrant and early. **35 cents.**
- 28**—**DOCTOR BRETONNEAU**—(Verdier, 1854.) Bomb type; early midseason. This is the famous "Lady Leonora Bramwell," having been sold under that name for years. It is a grand good variety; large, full and fragrant. The color a delicate silvery-rose with lively pink center; beautiful. **50 cents.**
- 41**—**DUCHESS DE NEMOURS**—(Calot, 1856.) Crown type; early. Superb cup-shaped; sulphur-white flowers, fading to pure white. In all Peonies there is nothing so exquisitely chaste and beautiful as this variety in the half open bud state; excels as a cut flower. Don't omit it. Late. **35 cents.**
- 22**—**DUKE OF WELLINGTON**—(Calot, 1859.) Bomb type; late midseason. One of the grandest flowers in our whole collection. Very large, high built flowers of immaculate white. Simply grand. **50 cents.**
- 79**—**EDULIS SUPERBA**—(Lemon, 1824.) Crown type; very early. Beautiful brilliant pink, with silver reflex; large, well-formed, full flower on strong stem; blooms early with Festiva Maxima. **35 cents.**
- 25**—**FELIX CROUSSE**—(Crousse, 1881.) Rose type; late, midseason. All Peony enthusiasts are familiar with the fact that it is difficult to get a red Peony that is a self color—that is, a full, rich, even shade of red without being suffused with a shade of another color. Felix Crousse fills the bill. A rich, even, brilliant ruby-red, exceptionally fiery, bright and effective; very large, full bell-shaped bloom. We place this in the front rank of all red Peonies—nothing like it in color. **50 cents.**
- 30**—**FESTIVA MAXIMA**—(Mieliez, 1851.) Rose type; early. This is not only the finest white in existence, but in most quarters it is regarded as the queen of all the Peonies. Mr. Harrison says: "This flower has reached the ultimate beyond which we cannot go." It combines enormous size with wondrous beauty, often seven to eight inches in diameter; color snow-white, flecked with an occasional clear purple spot on edge of center petals; in addition, it is very fragrant; a glorious flower, impossible to describe; magnificent. **50 cents.**
- 4**—**FLORAL TREASURE**—(Rosenfeld, 1900.) Rose type; early midseason. Very large and full; clear pink, shading to lighter at center; a splendid hemisphere of fragrance; long strong stems to uphold the big bloom, sometimes six inches across; very vigorous and floriferous. **60 cents.**
- 38**—**FRAGRANS**—(Sir Joseph Banks, 1805.) Bomb type; very late. Soft delicate pink, interspersed with salmon; an exceedingly good, perfect bloom and a pretty flower; highly fragrant. **35 cents.**
- 67**—**GOLDEN HARVEST**—(Rosenfeld, 1900.) Bomb type; midseason. Very striking variety, producing large tri-colored blooms, the guard petals being bluish-pink, with a distinct bluish-white color, and deepening to canary-yellow, a few of the center petals tipped and striped with light crimson. This Peony combines cream, gold, white, pink, salmon, peach and apricot, the total color effect of the flower creamy-pink; strong, delicate fragrance; a splendid bloomer; extra fine. **75 cents.**
- 3**—**HUMEI**—(Anderson, 1810.) Rose type; very late. Very large, compact and striking cherry-pink flower; among the very best; highly cinnamon-scented; graceful in habit and grown very largely for cut flowers and valuable for landscape work **35 cents.**
- 46**—**JENNY LIND**—(Parsons, 1860.) Bomb type; midseason. Large bloom on long stem; strong grower, free bloomer; color bright pink, silvery reflex, with narrow white petals interspersed with center petalage; striking variety. **50 cents.**
- 27**—**L'ECLÉTANTE**—(Calot, 1860.) Bomb type; midseason. Flowers double and full; color deep brilliant velvety crimson. Extra fine. **50 cents.**
- 106**—**MADAME BOLLET**—(Calot, 1867.) Rose type; midseason. Large, very double flowers; clear rose, with white reflex, linguated with carmine; late bloomer. **35 cents.**
- 19**—**MADAME CALOT**—(Mieliez, 1856.) Rose type; early. This is the freest flowering of all Peonies. It is known in Holland as the Glory of Boskoop. Flesh white shaded salmon; large convex flower, fine buds; extra for cut flowers. **35 cents.**
- 16**—**MADAME DE VERNEVILLE**—(Crousse, 1885.) Bomb type; early. One of the most charming varieties on the market. Pure white, full and double. Extra. **50 cents.**
- 32**—**MADAME FOREL**—(Crousse, 1881.) Rose type; late midseason. Enormous, very full double flowers; color glossy deep pink. Known as the "Princess of Pink Peonies." **50 cents.**
- 136**—**MADAME THOUVENIN**—(Crousse, 1881.) Rose type; late midseason. Brilliant rosy-red, finished carmine and lilac. Grand. **35 cents.**
- 15**—**MADEMOISELLE LEONIE CALOT**—(Calot, 1861.) Rose type; late mid-season. The color is a delicate rosy-white with a soft lilac-pink center, dotted heliotrope-pink. **50 cents.**
- 18**—**MADEMOISELLE ROUSSEAU**—(Crousse, 1886.) Semi-rose type; midseason. Large, full, finely shaped flower; sulphur-white with delicate bluish center; extra fine. A prominent Peony expert on seeing this superb variety said that not a root of it should be sold for less than three dollars each. **75 cents.**
- 10**—**MARIE STUART**—(Calot, 1856.) Crown type; midseason. Large bloom, coming in clusters; outer petals soft pink; center pink and sulphur-white; very chaste bloom. This is a variety that pleases everybody. **50 cents.**

- 31**—**MARIE LEMOINE**—(Calot, 1860.) Rose type; very late. Enormous sulphur-white, massive bloom, delicately shaded chamois, with narrow carmine edge; a sort the Peony enthusiasts raves over, but is unfortunately very scarce. Without question the grandest of all white Peonies. You positively cannot afford to leave this variety out of your collection. It is a wonder. We have a fine stock. **50 cents.**
- 35**—**MEISSONIER**—(Crousse, 1886.) Bomb type; midseason. Deep, dark, rich red. In the cut flower market it is known as the American Beauty Peony; extra fine. **60 cents.**
- 8**—**MIREILLE**—(Crousse, 1894.) Rose type; very late. A grand white Peony without marks or flecks. Largest of all flowers, and the latest of all. A grand, glorious variety. **75 cents.**
- 48**—**MONSIEUR JULES ELIE**—(Crousse, 1888.) Bomb type. Early midseason. This is the king of all Peonies, and is without question M. Crousse's masterpiece. Immense globular, very full flowers. Color an ideal glossy lilac-pink, shading to deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a sheen of silver that fairly shimmers in the sunlight. Monsieur Jules Elie is the largest of all Peony flowers. On young, vigorous plants we have had flowers eight and nine inches through. In fact, they are so large and handsome that but few can realize they are Peony blooms on first seeing them. An unapproachable variety from any standpoint. When cut in the bud a good keeper. **75 cents.**
- 6**—**MONSIEUR KRELAGE**—(Crousse, 1883.) Semi-rose type; late midseason. Deep currant or solferino-red with amaranthine center. Large flat flowers as big as a plate; perfect in outline. **60 cents.**
- 61**—**NE PLUS ULTRA**—(Mieliez, 1856.) Rose type; early midseason. Enormous flat imbricated bloom, bright silvery-pink. One of the surest to produce a crop. **35 cents.**
- 50**—**PRINCESS BEATRICE**—(Kelway, 1886.) Crown type; midseason. Guards delicate lilac, crown of brilliant sea shell pink; a glorious flower. **60 cents.**
- 40**—**QUEEN VICTORIA**—(Whiteley, 1808.) Bomb type; early midseason. Large, full, compact bloom; opens flesh-white, changing to pure white; center petals tipped with carmine spots; a grand white Peony for any purpose; more of this is being planted for cut flowers than any other variety. **35 cents.**
- 24**—**SOLFATARE**—(Calot, 1861.) Crown type; midseason. Guard petals snow-white; center sulphur-yellow, changing as the flower ages to pure white. This we consider an extra fine Peony. **60 cents.**
- 26**—**SOUVENIR DE EXPOSITION UNIVERSELLE**—(Calot, 1867.) Rose type; late midseason. Very large flat flower of violet-rose with silvery reflex, tipped silver; fragrant. **60 cents.**
- 29**—**SULFUREA**—(Lemon, 1830.) Crown type; early midseason. The yellow Peony. Broad, snow-white guard petals, center forming a very full, high cushion; color sulphur-yellow, fading in time to pure white; produces an enormous crop of bloom on grand stems; has more yellow in it than any Peony we grow; a grand, glorious flower—do not fail to plant it; superb in every way. **35 cents.**

## Officialis Section These are Earlier Bloomers than the Chinensis Section.

They are the old May Peonies of our mothers' gardens. Price, 30 cents each; the three for 75 cents.

**OFFICIALIS RUBRA** (Fl. Pl.)—The old-fashioned early deep crimson variety of our grandmothers' gardens.

**OFFICIALIS ROSEA** (Fl. Pl.)—Very large, well-formed bloom, color deep pink; very brilliant and effective.

**OFFICIALIS ALBA**—(Mutabilis.) White striped with pink.

## Peonies to Color Usually Called Mixed Peonies All Double Flowering.

Our Peonies to color you will find unsurpassed. They are fine large flowers with rich colors; free bloomers. The roots we offer are strong. Be sure and try them. We have these Peonies in white, red, pink and rose at **20 cents; three for 50 cents.**

## SEEDLING PEONIES

You do not know what colored flower you will get, but every one will be handsome; many of them will be single and resemble huge butterflies of white, red, pink, crimson, etc., while others will be double. Be sure and try some of these seedlings. Do not ask us to send any special color; as no one knows the color until they bloom. **25 cents; three for 50 cents; seven for \$1.**

## TREE PEONIES

This is a remarkable species, developed from Peony Mouton, a native of China and Japan. In habit of growth it is not unlike a deciduous shrub—the growths are short and stocky, the plant eventually attaining a height of four or more feet and of large circumference; the foliage is quite handsome, and the immense flowers, which usually appear some two weeks ahead of the herbaceous class, are most remarkable for their immense size and gorgeous colorings. Splendid for grouping or for specimen plants on lawns. While a hardy plant, it will be found desirable to give it some protection in very cold latitudes. All shoots springing from the base should be rubbed off. We offer any color desired, our choice of varieties only, at **\$1.25 each.**

**Remember that so long as we can ship Peonies safely during the spring months we will do so; after it becomes too late we will file your order for them and ship in the fall time.**

# BEAUTIFUL HOUSE FERNS TO CHEER YOUR HOME DURING WINTER

There are no plants grown that are more desirable for the house than the following fine decorative Ferns. They are easily grown, free from insects and disease, and thrive well in the ordinary temperature of the living room. See that the plants have plenty of drainage and are kept well watered; never let dry out for any length of time. Every one of these Nephrolepis Ferns is entirely distinct in every way. That we are headquarters for Ferns is evidenced by the choice assortment that we offer. No other firm offers so many distinct and choice varieties. Try us for Ferns.

## WARNING! Do You Know About the White Fern Scale If You Don't You Had Better Get Acquainted

About every dealer in the land has this White Fern Scale. That's what is making your Ferns look so sickly, and what is so serious about the whole matter is that even the big growers think it is a fly, and even then do not know how to rid themselves of it. It is a scale, and the most vicious insect that ever attacked any plant. It is the most difficult to get rid of. Our stock is clean because we know how to prevent it and we also know how to get rid of it, should our stock ever become infested. You cannot afford to attempt to grow Ferns that have this scale, because you will fail; your plants will never look right. Buy our clean Ferns.

### The Grand New Dwarf Nephrolepis

#### "TEDDY JUNIOR"

"TEDDY JUNIOR," the Fern for every household—This magnificent Fern has never before been offered for sale by any florist or catalogue firm. It is a sport from the now famous Roosevelt Fern, and while its habit of growth is to produce a shorter frond it retains all the valuable characteristics of the parent plant. The fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from base to tip; they droop just enough to make a shapely, graceful plant, permitting it to finish with a fine full center and perfect symmetrical spread. The pinnae are distinctly undulated, giving the fronds an attractive wavy appearance, which adds materially to their charming decorative effect, and thin, scraggy foliage effect, and thin, scraggy foliage effect, and thin, scraggy foliage effect.

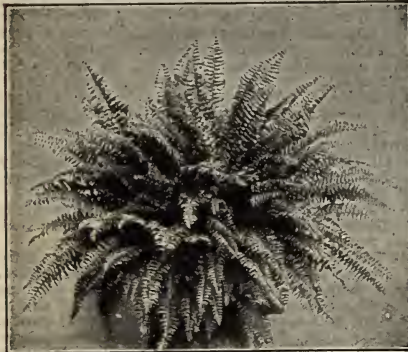


PHOTO OF "TEDDY JUNIOR"



FRONDS OF "TEDDY JUNIOR," THE WONDERFUL NEW FERN

age is never seen in this variety. "Teddy" will produce about four times more fronds than any other Fern ever introduced, finishing with fifty to sixty fronds in a four-inch pot, while twelve to fifteen is the average number other varieties will produce in the same size pot. It is such a compact, vigorous grower that it will thrive under most adverse conditions making an exceptionally rapid growth and producing a plant of rare beauty and perfection in the average dwelling house without special care or attention. Owing to its habit of producing the great quantity of massive foliage in small pots, this Fern makes the finest pedestal plant ever produced, and will prove indispensable for decorating dining room or library tables and numerous other places in the home where limited space will not permit using large pots or varieties with longer fronds. As a table decoration, Fern growers can appreciate the commercial value of a dwarf variety that will produce forty to fifty fronds twelve to fifteen inches long in a four-inch pot. Such plants could readily be disposed of and every grower can produce them from "Teddy Junior" with as little care and expense as they can grow other varieties. Young plants, 35 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, \$1.00.

### NEPHROLEPIS SPLENDIDA

## The Big Four Fern

We place this grand variety first and foremost of all the Ferns. It is the most wonderful of them all, and is the first and only genuine combination Fern ever sent out, and is now offered for the first time. It combines the good qualities of the four most popular sorts. It has the grace of a "Boston," the wavy effect of a "Roosevelt," the fluffy effect of an "Ostrich Plume," and the uniqueness of the "Fish Tail." Some fronds will be straight "Boston," others will be true "Roosevelt," in others the ends of the pinnae will be feathery "Ostrich Plume," while in others the ends of the pinnae will be the genuine "Fish Tail." Then again some fronds will have in a marked degree all of these desirable traits, forming a combination without parallel among Ferns. It well deserves the name of "Big Four Fern." Everyone who sees it goes "daffy" about it. This is without question the most splendid of all the Nephrolepis. Be sure and try it. Young plants, 35 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, \$1.00.



THE "GOLD MEDAL FERN," For Description See Page 20.



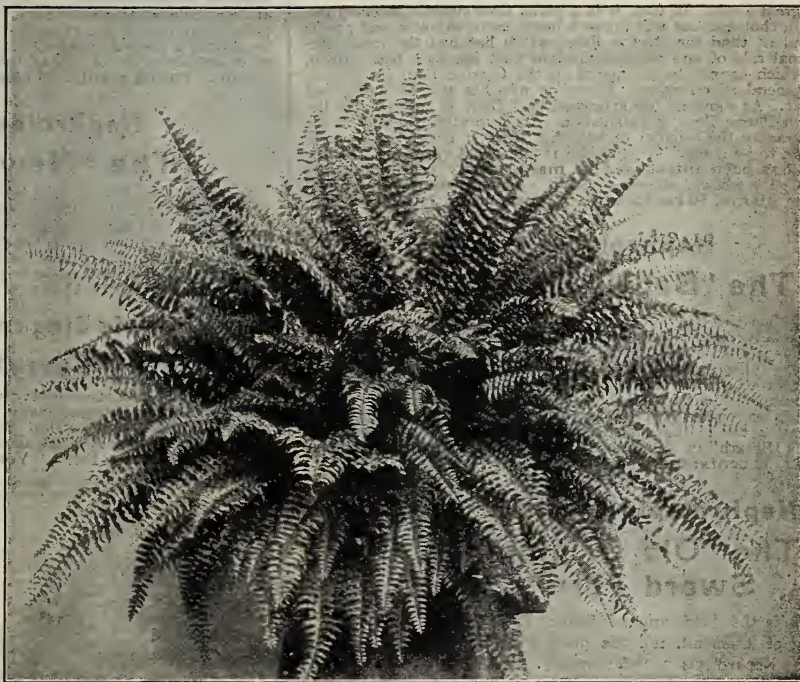
THE "CRESTED FERN"



THE "PHILADELPHIA LACE FERN"

**Nephrolepis Roosevelt**  
**THE "ROOSEVELT FERN"**

It is our good fortune and great pleasure to offer this wonderful new Fern. In general characteristics it resembles the world-famous Boston Fern, but it will sweep that Fern from the boards for two reasons; it produces many more fronds than the Boston, thus making a bushier, handsomer plant. In fact, it is the best Fern for florists' use ever introduced. Roosevelt will make a better plant in a six-inch pot than any other Fern in a ten-inch pot. That is what will make you money every time. The usual size to sell the Boston Fern is from a six-inch pot. Well, let us tell you that in a six-inch pot of the Roosevelt and the Boston there is no comparison. The Roosevelt doubles the fronds of a Boston in a six-inch pot, thus making a much more finished plant, and, therefore, more salable. The pinnae are beautifully undulated, giving the Roosevelt a pronounced wavy effect seen in no other Fern; as the plant ages this effect becomes quite distinct. Our sales of Roosevelt have exceeded two hundred and fifty thousand plants, a far greater number than was ever sold of a new Fern. Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.



"THE ROOSEVELT FERN"

**Nephrolepis Elegantissima**  
**THE "PHILADELPHIA LACE FERN"**

The small size pinnae, or leaflets, are subdivided into perfect miniature fronds; the side pinnae stand at right angles to the midrib of the fronds, on edge instead of flat, giving both sides of the main frond the same beautiful appearance. It is impossible to conceive of the beauty and grace of this wonderful Fern from description. Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.

**Nephrolepis Scholzei**  
**THE "CRESTED FERN"**

It is a sport from Scotti, possessing the merits of that most popular variety, but with the pinnae subdivided, giving it a fine

crested appearance. The fronds, like in Scotti, stand erect, with a graceful arch forming a plant of ideal shape, and they never break down, giving the plant a ragged appearance as is so often the case with other plumed forms; furthermore, the loose, elegant arrangement of the fronds, allowing a free circulation of air through the foliage, prevents the center of even the largest specimen from becoming defective or yellow. The smallest salable plants perfectly express the type, and in every size are models of beauty for table decorations. Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 40 cts.

**Nephrolepis Todeaoides**  
**THE "LONDON FERN"**

A feathery froned variety similar to the Ostrich Plume variety, the fronds being more stiff and erect and the pinnae more finely divided. A fine Ostrich Plume sort, and we recommend it in all respects. Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cts.

## **Nephrolepis Piersonii** **The "Gold Medal Fern"**

This Fern received a gold medal from the Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists at their meeting in Asheville, N. C., 1902, and is the only gold medal ever awarded by them for any plant whatsoever. An entirely new form of the Boston Fern. The pinnae subdivide, making miniature fronds which are superimposed on the main fronds, looking as if two or even three were condensed in one, giving the plant a graceful, feathery and plummy effect. **Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Superbissima** **The "Fluffy Ruffles Fern"**

This new Fern is quite different from all other Ferns. Its distinguishing characteristics are its dark green foliage, darker than any other Fern, its dense growth being much more compact, and its irregular shaped fronds which give it the name of "Fluffy Ruffles Fern." The fronds are very heavily imbricated, the pinnae overlapping and are so formed as to resemble miniature Ferns, giving it the appearance of a Fern within a Fern. The plant is very sturdy in its habit and the fronds firm and rigid, never break down, so that it will stand more knocking around than any other Fern. **Young plants, 35 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Whitmanii** **The "Ostrich Plume Fern"**

A great Fern. In fact, it is a plant that appeals to everyone, and on that account will prove a much more valuable and profitable plant than the Boston Fern, which has had the most phenomenal sale of any decorative plant that has ever been grown, but which cannot be compared to the Ostrich Fern for beauty and general effectiveness. Everyone who has seen it is charmed with it. As someone has expressed it, "There is nothing like the Ostrich Plume Fern in cultivation. In decorative effect it so far outdistances the original variety that there is positively no comparison to be made." We consider it the **most valuable novelty that has been introduced in many, many years.** It has taken gold medals wherever shown. **Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Goodii** **The "Baby's Breath Fern"**

This has the finest foliage of all the Ferns. It is so delicate that a lady on seeing it exclaimed, "Call it the Baby's Breath Fern, as it is so dainty in texture that a baby's breath would set its fluffy foliage in motion." The fronds are very fine and filmy, on which account it has been called by some the Lace Fern. It is an improved variety and the best of its type. Nothing is daintier or more exquisite than well-grown specimens in any size. Our reputation for it that no Fern in existence can compare with "Baby's Breath" in fluffiness. **Young plants, 25 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Exaltata** **The "Old Original Sword Fern"**

This is the "old original Sword Fern," the daddy of them all, the one plant from which all the Nephrolepis we offer sprang. It is entirely different from any of its progeny, having narrow fronds that are long and of very erect growth. For this reason it is more largely used as a centerpiece in vases than are any of its descendants. **Young plants, 15 cents; strong plants, 40 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Whitmanii Compacta** **The "Parlor Fern"**

This is a condensed form of the "Ostrich Plume Fern" with valuable characteristics added which are not evident in the parent, the pinnae subdividing, making miniature fronds, which are superimposed on the main fronds, looking as if two or more were condensed in one. Graceful beyond description. **Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents.**



THE "FISH TAIL FERN"

## **Nephrolepis Davallioides Furcans** **The "Fish Tail Fern"**

This is a grand Fern, entirely distinct from any of the other varieties of Nephrolepis. Throughout the South and especially at New Orleans this Fern takes precedence over all others. The ends of the pinnae are so formed as to resemble a fish tail, giving the fronds a crested appearance, very effective. It grows into the most shapely plant of any of the Nephrolepis. Grand for house culture. **Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Scotti** **The "Newport Fern"**

Of much dwarfer and bushier growth than the Boston Ferns. The fronds droop gracefully, and are not as long and heavy as the Boston. It is a rapid grower, and to see it in all stages of growth from a runner in the bench to a fourteen-inch pot specimen will convince you that it will be in great demand as a house Fern. This has always been a favorite variety. **Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants 50 cents.**

## **Nephrolepis Elegantissima Compacta** **The "Tarrytown Fern"**

The fronds are considerably shorter than those of *Elegantissima*, and throw a great many more crowns, making it a very bushy, compact, symmetrical plant. It forms a round mass of foliage that makes it particularly desirable and valuable. One of the really great Ferns. **Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents.**



THE "NEWPORT" FERN



**Nephrolepis Amorophli**  
**THE "FILIGREE FERN"**

A most charming Fern, very much on the order of the famous "Baby's Breath Fern." This Fern has such fine delicate foliage that it is suggestive of the finest filigree work in silver and gold done by the jeweler, hence it has been christened the "Filigree Fern." It is beautiful beyond description. Young plants, 25 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.



DWARF FERNS IN FERN DISH. ELEGANT TABLE DECORATION.

**Dwarf Ferns for Fern Dishes**

We have selected a few of the hardiest and most satisfactory varieties for filling Fern dishes, than which there is no prettier table decoration. 10 cents each; or we will send seven distinct Dwarf Ferns for 60 cents; or thirteen distinct Dwarf Ferns for \$1.00. These will make a full Fern dish for the dining table that will be a joy to your heart.

NEPHROLEPIS BOSTONIENSIS

**THE "BOSTON FERN"**

In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is so extensively used as this graceful Nephrolepis, which differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of six feet. These arch and droop over very gracefully, on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit makes it an excellent plant to grow as a single specimen on a table or pedestal. This Fern should not be compared to the Ostrich Plume Fern, as they are of an entirely different growth; both have their place and both are beautiful and desirable. Young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents; extra strong plants, 75 cents.



THE "BOSTON FERN" NEPHROLEPIS BOSTONIENSIS.

**Our Grand Garden Dahlias**

No garden is complete without a show of these brilliant and stately autumn flowers, and nothing gives greater return for so little money and care. We offer dry bulbs or tubers, but if stock of these becomes exhausted, will send started plants. We grow and sell fifteen acres of Dahlias each year.

**CACTUS DAHLIAS**

So-called from their resemblance to Cactus flowers. They are characterized by long, narrow, pointed, tubular and twisted petals of graded lengths, giving the flowers a striking and attractive appearance. Grand for cut flowers. Except where noted, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents. The entire set of eight Cactus Dahlias costing \$1.45 for \$1.10.

**AMOS PERRY**—The best bright scarlet Cactus to date. Color purest flaming-scarlet, with long, narrow twisted petals of irregular formation. The blooms are borne well above the foliage in the utmost profusion. Certainly a beauty. 25 cents.

**CHARLES CLAYTON**—The strongest words of praise are not extravagant when applied to this wonderful new Cactus. It is the ideal in color, form, length of stem and general good habits, beyond which it would seem little could be hoped for. The color is a most intense crimson, so vivid as to dazzle the eye; superb. 20 cents.

**COUNTESS OF LONSDALE**—For perfection of bloom, erectness of stem, abundance of flower, this variety has never yet been equaled. On several of the plants we have counted over 150 perfect blooms on one plant. Is there any other garden flower that can equal it? The color is a rich salmon-pink tinted apricot. The one best Dahlia. 25 cents.

**COUNTRY GIRL**—Base of petals golden-yellow suffused with salmon-rose or old gold, which is deepest at the tips of petals.



CACTUS DAHLIA

**CACTUS DAHLIAS—Concluded**

- FLORADORA**—Deep, dark, rich wine-crimson, splendid shaped flowers on long upright wiry stems. Habit ideal of perfection.
- J. H. JACKSON**—This is without doubt the finest dark Cactus Dahlia. Its velvety-black crimson-maroon shade is very striking. Large and perfect.
- STANDARD BEARER**—Bright, pure scarlet; flowers large and full to the center; of symmetrical and perfect form. Petals semi-quilled. Extraordinarily productive. One of the very best.
- WINSOME**—Pure white. Bears abundant masses of large, white flowers; very desirable.

**DECORATIVE DAHLIAS**

- These come next to the Cactus as a cut flower. They are also very showy in the garden, being unusually free bloomers. They are more formal in make-up than the Cactus Dahlias, but not as formal as the show varieties, being a happy medium between the two. Except where noted, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents. The entire set of eight Decorative Dahlias, costing \$1.60 for \$1.20.
- CLIFFORD W. BRUTON**—Immense size; color a clear, rich canary-yellow. Fine for cutting. Should be in every collection.
- FRANK L. BASSETT**—Color bright royal purple, shading to lavender-blue, an extremely early and profuse bloomer.
- JACK ROSE**—(New.) A magnificent flower with perfect form. Color rich crimson-red with maroon shadings. Named for its counterpart among Roses, the famous "General Jack."
- LYNDHURST**—One of the very best bright scarlets. Invaluable for cutting. Large, perfectly formed, double to the center, with long stems. Charming.
- MATCHLESS**—Deep crimson, of large size; an early and late bloomer. This we consider one of the best ten Dahlias. Very showy in the garden.
- MRS. ROOSEVELT**—Immense size; a delicate shade of pink; extra fine. 40 cents.
- SOUVENIR DE GUSTAVE DOAZON**—This is the largest of all Dahlias. A lovely shade of orange-red. A veritable giant among flowers. 30 cents.
- WILLIAM AGNEW**—Intense glistening crimson-scarlet, of large size and gracefully recurring form. The most popular standard red.

**SHOW AND FANCY DAHLIAS**

These are the old-fashioned Dahlias of our mothers' gardens. Perfect in shape and outline. Except where noted, 15 cents each, four for 50 cents. The entire set of twelve Show or Fancy Dahlias costing \$2.50, for \$2.00.

- ARABELLA**—Primrose-yellow, tipped and shaded old rose and lavender; very fine.
- CUBAN GIANT**—Flowers of great size, measuring six inches across. Color dark, glowing crimson, shaded maroon. Magnificent. Price, 25 cents.
- DOROTHY PEACOCK**—The most exquisitely beautiful bright sea shell-pink Dahlia on earth. The flowers are of fine form, while the color is that beautiful live, clear pink that appeals to everyone. Whether as a plant in the garden or for cut flowers, this new Dahlia has been the delight and admiration of all who have seen it. 30 cents.
- FOSTER BARNES**—The flowers are large, perfect in form, full to the center. Outer petals cupped and slightly pointed; inner ones quilled, and all of the greatest substance. Color pure waxy white almost of tuberosa texture with a tint of delicate lavender-pink touching the tips of the petals and lightly shading the heart of the flower. Sometimes the backs of the petals are suffused with the same delicate color. 25 cents.
- GRAND DUKE ALEXIS**—This is one of the most delicately beautiful of all Dahlias. Very large, perfect form, with long, thick, quilled petals overlapping at the ends. White, slightly tinged and suffused delicate lavender. Ethereally beautiful. 20 cents.
- QUEEN VICTORIA**—Pure canary-yellow. One of the freest bloomers. Good for cutting.
- ROBERT BROOMFIELD**—Pure snow-white. Of large size. A very free bloomer. Grand for cut flowers. We recommend this variety.
- RUBY QUEEN**—A rich ruby-red that is very bright and dazzling. Fine, large flowers and long stems. Profuse bloomer.
- STORM KING**—(Blizzard.) Produces large, perfect shaped flowers on fine stems. By many said to be the finest of all white Show Dahlias. It often goes under the name of Blizzard from the fact that when in full bloom it resembles a bank of snow. 25 cents.

**STRADELLA**—The color is deep purple-crimson, with deep cup-shaped petals that are loosely arranged. The flowers are perfectly round when in full bloom, borne on long graceful stems well above the foliage. 20 cents.

**SYLVIA (Or Dolly)**—Flowers four to six inches in diameter; of fine form and full to the center, which is white, shaded to soft pink on the outer petals. In freedom of bloom next to Countess of Lonsdale. A magnificent Dahlia.

**W. W. RAWSON**—The popularity which this novelty has acquired in the short time it has been offered, speaks in itself for the superior features of this flower. The petals towards the center are quilled similar to **Grand Duke Alexis**. Toward the outer part they are more open and flat. The color is pure white overlaid with amethyst-blue. This wonderful combination gives it the appearance of a delicate lavender. The flowers measure from seven to nine inches across. One of the very best Dahlias grown. 30 cents.

**PEONY FLOWERED DAHLIAS**

This is a new family of Dahlias, originating in Holland. They bear semi-double blooms, and are without question the showiest of all Dahlias. Be sure and try them. Price, except where noted, 35 cents each, the four Peony-flowered Dahlias, costing \$1.55, for \$1.40.

**GEISHA**—The pride of the Peony-flowered Dahlias. This most sensational variety is the showiest and most attractive of this type in existence. The wonderful flowers are renowned for their excellent qualities; being exceptionally beautiful in color, perfect in form, grand in appearance and immense in size. The color of this acquisition is remarkable and attracts everybody's attention. It is a superb combination of brilliant scarlet and gold with an exquisite ring of rich, clear yellow at the center. Occasionally the first flower comes fully double, but all that follow show that beautiful golden center which combines to make this flower the most charming. Its form is very original, consisting of peculiarly twisted and curled petals. The effect of these phenomenal flowers is most pleasing, giving this variety the supreme place as the showiest Dahlia in existence. Stock limited to this acquisition. 50 cents.

**MRS. CHARLES L. SEYBOLD**—Color bright pink flushed with crimson, each petal tipped with white. A distinct and strikingly beautiful variety. Flowers abundantly produced on long graceful stems. A gem.

**QUEEN EMMA**—A delightful sort that appears almost artificial. It is of a charming shade of Hollyhock-pink, the inner petals banded with gold. One of the most beautiful.

**QUEEN WILHELMINA**—The flowers of this grand variety are snow white, with a center of golden-yellow. They look like huge butterflies on the plant. They are so light and airy. Extra fine.

**CENTURY DAHLIAS**

This is an entirely new race of single Dahlias. We consider today that the new Century Dahlias occupy first place where beauty of coloring and artistic effect is desired. Owing to their immense size, long stems, graceful carriage, combined with their purity of color, or the blending of colors, shades and tints, they entirely outclass all other Dahlias for cut flowers. Keep each variety when cut in a separate vase. Price, except where noted, 25 cents each, the five Century Dahlias, costing \$1.25, for \$1.00.

**GOLDEN CENTURY**—A grand acquisition. Color a canary-yellow on long stems; fine.

**MAROON CENTURY**—Rich maroon, shaded royal-purple. Very large and velvety; superb.

**PINK CENTURY**—No one can conceive the exquisite delicacy of color, texture and finish without seeing the actual flower. The color is a delicate shell-pink, slightly suffused clear, soft pink. 35 cents.

**TWENTIETH CENTURY**—The flowers are large, always of perfect form. The stems are straight and graceful. The color is a bright rosy-red, with a large disc or zone of white. The best bloomer of all; grand. 35 cents.

**WHITE CENTURY**—The flowers are of immense size, of a beautiful snow-white color. None of its color better.

**POMPON DAHLIAS**

This class is a miniature form of the Show and Fancy Dahlias, having the same round, ball-like form, but much smaller in size. The plants are also smaller. Of branching habit, producing the flowers in endless profusion. As they can be cut in sprays, they are valuable for bouquets and for small grounds; also useful as borders to beds of tall growing plants. Everybody loves them. 15 cents each, four for 50 cents; the entire set of Six Pompon Dahlias, costing 90 cents, for 75 cents.

**FASHION**—A very pretty shade of old gold.

**HIGHLAND MARY**—Pink and lavender, with white. Ethereally beautiful.

**LITTLE BEATRICE**—Blush-white; narrowly edged with delicate carmine.

**ORIOLE**—A glowing shade of bright yellow.

**SNOW CLAD**—Early pure white. Extra free flowering. A most charming variety.

**VIVID**—Bright glowing scarlet. Extra free and fine.

**SPECIAL DAHLIA OFFER**

The entire forty-three distinct varieties of Dahlias as catalogued, costing, if ordered singly, \$9.25, sent for a remittance of \$6.75, net.

# HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX

This is one of the most easily grown hardy perennials, and the large number of beautiful varieties now offered makes it especially desirable. These noble flowers are not only beautiful as individuals, but the cheerful appearance of our gardens during the summer and autumn months is much indebted to them. They succeed in any position or soil, and can be used to advantage either as single specimens in the mixed border or as large clumps or beds on the lawn. To produce the best results, however, they should have a rich, deep and rather moist soil, and let each clump have a space of from two to three feet in which to develop. They will continue to thrive for several years with little attention, as is attested by the fine clumps about old homesteads. The ease with which they are cultivated, their entire hardiness and the extended time of blooming, combined with the varied and beautiful coloring, make them especially valuable for garden planting. The Perennial Phlox usually commence to bloom in early summer, and are brilliant with color until after several frosts have come. They are admirably adapted for cemetery planting, also for a low hedge or screen to hide old fences and unsightly objects. Plant Phlox; they take care of themselves and get better each year. **10 cents each, six for 50 cents, fourteen for \$1.00.**



HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX

- ALHAMBRA**—Rich mauve; distinct.
  - BEAUTY**—Delicate silvery-pink; a most beautiful sort.
  - BRIDESMAID**—Pure white, clear carmine eye; blooms in large round heads; attractive.
  - DUGUESCLIN**—Rosy-lilac, distinctly rayed with lighter halo.
  - ECLAIREUR**—Clear rosy-magenta, with large lighter halo; large florets and magnificent bedder.
  - GENERAL VON HEUTSZE**—Immense trusses of very large flowers; color of the most brilliant salmon-red, with white center; simply grand.
  - HUXLEY**—A rich lavender; color fine.
  - HENRY MURGER**—Enormous pure white flowers, with very large, showy, deep carmine eye or center; fine florets and trusses; extra.
  - INDEPENDENCE**—An excellent large-flowering early pure white; none better.
  - INSPECTOR ELPEL**—A startling variety, color deep salmon; florets extra size; will please everybody.
  - JULES CAMBON**—Clear magenta with large distinct white star in center of each floret; superlatively rich and fine.
  - LA VOGUE**—A beautiful rose color with large eye of deeper rose color; very attractive.
  - LA PERLE DU NORD**—Pure white; large, deep, distinct red eye; extra fine.
  - LE MAHDI**—Dark violet-purple.
  - L'ESPERANCE**—Clear rosy-lilac; large white eye distinctly rayed; large florets and an even bloomer.
  - LOTHAIR**—Clear, even carmine, deep crimson eye.
  - PANTHEON**—Large, clear, deep, bright pink with faint halo; a charming variety.
  - RUBUS**—A parti-colored variety, rosy-red shading to white.
  - R. P. STRÜTHERS**—In our estimation the very best Phlox grown today—it has no faults. Color, clear cherry-red, suffused with salmon shades; deep red eye; fine large truss. Color is so clear and clean that each individual floret stands out as distinct as a cameo.
  - VON HOCHBERG**—Extra large beautifully formed trusses of flowers. The ideal crimson Phlox, the richest of its color.
- SPECIAL OFFER No. 33**—The entire set of twenty distinct and beautiful varieties for only \$1.50.

# BEAUTIFUL FLOWERING CANNAS

Cannas are called the poor man's orchid because one may possess a perfect riot of color in his yard or garden for the minimum of both outlay and labor. They grow rapidly and bloom luxuriantly throughout a long season, requiring merely ordinary hoeing and weeding, and they always respond to plenty of water. Soak the ground thoroughly. Planted in beds of any formal shape, in rows or in front of porches and foundation walls, their rich, tropical foliage and gaudy bloom well repay their care and the insignificant trouble of winter storage.

## Green-Leaved, Truss-Flowering Cannas

In the Truss Cannas, the individual flowers are smaller than in the orchid Cannas, but more of them open at a time, thus making a truss of bloom of great effectiveness.

## Novelties in Green-Leaved, Truss-Flowering Cannas

- BRILLIANT**—One of the most striking yellow variegated Cannas ever offered. The yellow is a peculiarly bright waxy shade with two curling tongue-like petals of fiery-red that appear to dart from the center. **Three and one-half feet, 20 cents.**
- DUKE OF YORK**—Not the newest Canna, but the best pink. It blooms prodigiously. Immense heads of large individual florets. A clear, even pink, with throat of cream and broadly edged with a border of gold. Extremely beautiful and fascinating. **Four and one-half feet, 25 cents.**
- GLADIOFLORA**—Remarkable for the unusual shape of the flowers, which look like large Gladioli. Petals are rounded and so wide they overlap each other. Color is carmine-rose, edged with gold; beautiful. **Three and one-half feet, 25 cents.**

- GUSTAV GUMPFER**—An ideal bedder, possessing the practical qualities of compact growth, free and continuous blooming, and self-cleaning habit; uniform flower; heads well above the foliage. Color, the richest kind of orange-yellow; extra. **Three and one-half feet, 20 cents.**
- HALLEY'S COMET**—A striking addition to the galaxy of Star Cannas. Flowers large, of blazing scarlet. The throat is pure yellow, and with a narrow thread of pure yellow around each wavy edged petal. **Three and one-half feet, 25 cents.**
- HUNGARIA**—This Canna catches the eye insistently and demands attention. The petals are round and waxy made up into big round trusses. Its color forcibly suggests the well known "Paul Neyron" Rose, and is unquestionably the most attractive and fascinating pink Canna ever produced. **Three and one-half feet, 25 cents.**
- KATE F. DEEMER**—The grand flowers open a rich oriole-yellow, which gradually gives place to turkey-red in throat of the flower, this in striking contrast with the rest of the blossom, which turns almost white. Thus two colors of flowers will be on the same stalk at one time. This makes a fascinating combination, and is the most unusual of all Cannas. **Four feet, 50 cents.**

## BEAUTIFUL FLOWERING CANNAS—Continued

**KARL KIRSTEN**—It throws its trusses of bright poppy-red high above the foliage. The combination of freedom and bright color makes this an exceptionally desirable sort for massing. **Five feet, 20 cents.**

**METEOR**—Immense trusses of large rounded flowers, well displayed above the massive foliage; brilliant crimson. Flowers keep well and are self-cleaning; excellent. **Four feet, 25 cents.**

**MRS. ALFRED F. CONARD**—A most remarkable variety, with exquisite salmon-pink flowers of largest size in erect and abundantly furnished heads. So freely produced as to keep up a superb showing of its fine bloom for months above the rich green foliage; extra fine. **Four feet, 35 cents.**

**ONDINE**—Bright orange-scarlet, broadly bordered with golden-yellow. The color is best described as a fanciful figure in scarlet and gold. The best of all gilt-edged Cannas. **Three feet, 30 cents.**

**ROSEA GIGANTEA**—Extra large flowers, borne in such great abundance that the mass of color is truly amazing; a deep rich rose, almost a coral-carmine; soft and lovely; one of the most beautiful Cannas grown. **Four feet, 25 cents.**

**SPECIAL OFFER NO. 53**—The foregoing 12 new green foliage, truss-flowering Cannas costing \$3.50 sent for only \$3.00 net, and we will include gratis the new orchid-flowering Canna Minnehaha named below.

### Novelty in Bronze-Leaved, Truss-Flowering Cannas

**MINNEHAHA**—Blossoms are extra large and borne in great clusters. Color shades through gold and cream to a center of peachblow-pink. A new break and extremely beautiful. **Three and one-half feet, 25 cents.**

### Standard Varieties of Green-Leaved, Truss-Flowering Cannas

Price, unless noted otherwise, 10 cents each; \$1.00 dozen.

**ALPHONSE BOUVIER**—Brilliant deep crimson or cardinal-red. **Five feet.**

**BEAUTE POITEVINE**—Bright crimson-scarlet, a splendid bedding Canna. **Three and one-half feet.**

**BETSY ROSS**—Beautiful pink flowers, in great demand. **Three feet, 15 cents.**

**BLACK PRINCE**—Very large flowers of intense deep, velvety maroon. **Four and one-half feet.**

**BUTTERCUP**—A profusely blooming dwarf Canna of pure "Buttercup"-yellow. Planted with the reds, makes a striking combination. **Three feet, 15 cents.**

**CALIFORNIA**—A pure rich orange or old gold. No other Canna color like it. **Four feet, 15 cents.**

**CHARLES HENDERSON**—Bright rich crimson, an old-time favorite. **Three feet.**

**COMTE DE BOUCHARD**—Golden-yellow, spotted red. Splendid when planted in solid beds. **Four feet.**

**COMTE DE SACHS**—Clear scarlet, the brightest of all red Cannas. **Four and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**CRIMSON BEDDER**—Dazzling crimson-scarlet, well displayed above the foliage. A conspicuous bedder. **Three and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**DR. ROBERT FUNCKE**—As bright as scarlet sage; large heads. **Four and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**DUKE OF MARLBORO**—One of the darkest flowered Cannas grown; rich crimson-maroon. **Four feet.**

**FLORENCE VAUGHAN**—Rich golden-yellow, thickly peppered with bright red spots. **Three and one-half feet.**

**GENERAL MERKEL**—Scarlet, suffused with orange; base and edge of flower marbled with golden-yellow. **Four feet, 15 cents.**

**GLADIATOR**—A very showy bedding Canna, with large flowers of brassy-yellow, speckled in bright red. The long center petal and lower petal are a solid dark red, making a most striking contrast to the predominating yellow. **Three and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**J. D. EISELE**—A flaming scarlet overlaid with orange in trusses of enormous size. Constant bloomer. **Three and one-half feet.**

**JEAN TISSOT**—A rich shade of scarlet in large trusses. One of the brightest and best. **Four feet.**

**LOUISE**—Soft rosy-pink, delicately dappled with red; -free. **Four and one-half feet.**

**MADAME CROZY**—The popular bright scarlet, with narrow thread-like margin of golden-yellow. The first dwarf ever-blooming French Canna sent out, and very few dealers have the true variety now. **Three feet, 15 cents.**

**MARTHA WASHINGTON**—Color clear, bright rose-pink; a prodigious bloomer. **Three and one-half feet.**

**MEPHISTO**—A brilliant deep, rich red; a wonderfully satisfying Canna. **Three and one-half feet.**

**MONT BLANC**—Large trusses of pure white flowers, touched with creamy-white. The best white Canna to date. **Three feet, 15 cents.**

**NIAGARA**—Fine trusses of rich crimson, with a border of deep golden-yellow. **Three feet.**

**PAPA NARDY**—A grand Canna with glowing red flowers. Has never been surpassed. **Four feet, 15 cents.**

**PAUL MARQUAND**—Rich salmon-red; an old time favorite. **Three and one-half feet.**

**PHILADELPHIA**—Dark crimson; dwarf. A fine variety to plant in front of taller growing sorts. **Two and one-half feet.**

**PILLAR OF FIRE**—Bright crimson-scarlet. Borne in erect spikes like blazing torches; fine. **Six feet.**

**QUEEN CHARLOTTE**—Color a wide ragged band of canary-yellow, bordering a center of scarlet suffused carmine. **Three and one-half feet.**

**RICHARD WALLACE**—A light shade of Canary-yellow, almost an ecru, with delicate flecks of red; a lovely Canna. **Four feet.**

**SECRETAIRE CHABANNE**—A distinct and pleasing salmon; a fine bedder. **Three and one-half feet.**

**SOUVENIR DE ANTOINE CROZY**—An intense scarlet bordered with a broad irregular showy band of richest golden-yellow; extra. **3 feet, 15 cents.**

**THE EXPRESS**—Foliage wide spreading and low, literally crowned with massive flat heads of rich vermilion bloom, so as to almost hide the plant. **Two and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**VENUS**—The color is a gay rosy-pink with a mottled and dappled border of creamy yellow; splendid bloomer; extra. **Four feet.**

**WEST VIRGINIA**—Intense crimson-scarlet with broad yellow edge. **Three and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**WILHELM GREISINGER**—Bright yellow, thickly studded with scarlet; the center petal all red, the lower petal red broken up throughout by wavy threads of gold. **Three and one-half feet.**

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 54**—The foregoing thirty-five Standard Varieties of Green-leaved Truss flowering Cannas, costing \$4.20, sent for only \$3.50, net.

### Bronze-Leaved, Truss-Flowering Cannas

Price, unless noted otherwise, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per doz.

**BRANDYWINE**—Produces a magnificent display of brilliant red flowers. **Three and one-half feet.**

**DAVID HARUM**—Bright vermilion-scarlet mottled with deep red and with crinkly edged petals. **Three and one-half feet.**

**EGANDALE**—A favorite bronze-leaved sort with soft currant-red flowers; fine. **Three and one-half feet.**

**JUPITER**—Rich red flowers with silver sheen at center. **Six feet, 15 cents.**

**KING HUMBERT**—In this grand Canna we have a combination of the highest type of flower with the finest bronze foliage. It has flowers as large as the orchid flowering Cannas. Six inches across, in trusses of gigantic size; of a brilliant orange-scarlet with bright red markings. The foliage is broad and massive, of a rich coppery-bronze; bold and effective, "King Humbert" is the one ideal Canna. **Four and one-half feet, 20 cents.**

**MRS. GEORGE A. STROHLEIN**—Large amaranthine-red with massive bronze foliage. **5 feet.**

**PRESIDENT MEYER**—A glorious Canna with large flowers in immense trusses. Color, rich cherry-carmine. **Four feet, 15c.**

**RUBIN**—Ruby-carmine flowers, produced in great profusion. So rich in color and the foliage so pretty, makes it a great bedder. **Three and one-half feet, 15 cents.**

**SHENANDOAH**—Its combination of salmon-pink flowers and reddish bronze foliage is very pleasing. **Three and one-half feet.**

**WM. SAUNDERS**—Flowers bright crimson-scarlet, often measuring five inches across. This is without question the best bronze-leaved scarlet Canna. **Four feet, 20 cents.**

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 55**—The foregoing Ten Bronze-Leaved, Truss-Flowering Cannas, costing \$1.35, sent for only \$1.10, net.

# Beautiful Flowering Cannas-Concluded

## Giant Orchid Flowering Cannas

A distinct race of Cannas noted for their immense orchid-like flowers, often measuring six to seven inches across. The individual blooms of the orchid-flowering Cannas are much larger than in the Truss-flowering Cannas. All of the orchid flowering Cannas are green leaved except New York and Wyoming. Price, unless noted otherwise, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per doz.

**ALLEMANIA**—Ground color yellow, heavily dotted and overlaid with blood-orange. Five feet.

**ATLANTA**—Brilliant orange-red, a vivid flame color. Five feet.

**AUSTRIA**—Pure yellow with crimson markings in throat. A beautiful shade; the color of light. Four and one-half feet.

**FREDERICK BENARY**—Immense flowers; currant-red bordered yellow and pronounced orange throat. Five feet, 15 cts.

**INDIANA**—Glistening golden-orange, lightened by flecks of old gold and daintily flecked and penciled with deep rose. Single blossoms often seven inches across. Five and one-half feet, 15 cents.

**LOUISIANA**—Flowers like beautiful orchids; size often more than seven inches across and every inch a vivid scarlet. Five feet, 15 cents.

**MRS. CARL KELSEY**—Full heads of enormous flowers. Orange-scarlet wondrously flaked and striped with golden-yellow. An ornament to any garden. Six feet, 15 cents.

**MRS. KATE GRAY**—Large flowers, six inches across. Color rich orange-scarlet finely flaked and streaked with golden-yellow tints. Four and one-half feet, 15 cents.

**NEW YORK**—Bronze. Has five to six stalks of flowers at once on every well-fed plant, with flowers five inches across. Color bright scarlet. Four and one-half feet, 15 cents.

**PENNSYLVANIA**—Intense vermilion-scarlet or pure red. The flowers are immense, often seven inches across. Five and one-half feet.

**UNCLE SAM**—The most stately of all Cannas; bears three or four enormous bunches of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers on each stalk. Received an award of merit from the Royal Horticultural Society of England. Six feet, 25 cents.

**WYOMING**—Flowers a true orange-scarlet, without shades of crimson; very velvety and often five to six inches in diameter, that flutter in the breeze like glistening silken flags. We consider this a grand Canna. Four feet, 15 cents.



BRONZE LEAVED CANNA, KING HUMBERT  
(For Description See Page 24)

**Grand Bargain Offer No. 57** We offer the Seventy Cannas named in this Catalog, costing \$11.00, for the small sum of \$8.00, net. You will then have everything that is good in Cannas at the minimum cost. Try our Grand Bargain Offer No. 50.

**Special Offer No. 56** The foregoing Twelve Orchid-Flowering Cannas, costing \$1.70, sent for only \$1.30, net.

**Double Geraniums** The Best There Are  
10 cents each, except where noted; any six priced at 10 cents for 50 cents.



**ALPHONSE RICARD**—A most beautiful shade of bright million; large flowers and enormous trusses; a grand variety.

**BEAUTE POITEVINE**—Beautiful shade of shrimp-pink, gradually shading to white; a universal favorite.

**COMTESSE DE HARCOURT**—Beautiful florets and enormous trusses of pure white. Stands the sun well.

**E. H. TREGO**—A beautiful shade of dazzling scarlet with a pleasing soft, velvety finish on a saffron ground. Excellent. The trusses are so freely produced as to nearly conceal the foliage.

**FIREBRAND**—The brightest, richest orange-scarlet; none better.

**HETERANTHE, or Double General Grant**—Color of the flower is a light vermilion-red of a most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, contour and make-up,

trusses exceptionally large and borne in immense spherical balls, often measuring eight inches in diameter. It does finely in the open ground, and is perfectly reliable as a bedding Geranium of the highest merit. It makes a compact, dense growth, and has all the qualities that go to make the perfect bedder that it is. Fine also in pots. The very finest scarlet bedder.

**HUBERT CHARRON**—Center white; each petal is edged with rosy-red. A lovely flower. 15 cents.

**JEAN VIAUD**—This is the best large-flowering double pink Geranium in cultivation. Anyone seeing a specimen truss cannot fail to become enthusiastic over it, pronouncing it the largest and finest Geranium in cultivation. The flowers are borne on bold trusses of enormous size, almost spherical, and as many as sixty florets have been counted on a single truss. The color is the richest deep pink, shading near the base of the petals to light pink, the base of the upper petals creamy-white.

**LA FAVORITE**—In this Geranium we believe we have the finest double white Geranium in cultivation. The flowers are borne in large trusses of the purest snow-white, retaining this pure whiteness even in the height of summer, and for winter blooming they are all that can be desired. Do not fail to add this charming variety to your collection.

**MADAME BARNEY**—A profuse bloomer; florets of enormous size; color a deep, pure pink. A perfect bedder. 15 cents.

**MADAME JAULIN**—A continual bloomer; color day-break-pink, shading to a delicate peach-pink; enormous trusses.

**MADAME LAUDRY**—A distinct salmon-pink with a slight scarlet shading. Enormous trusses and florets borne on long stems.

**MADAME RECAMIER**—A strong and vigorous grower, bearing double snow-white flowers; grand. 15 cents.

**MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE**—This is a deep solferino in color. It has a splendid habit, and the color is decidedly unique and bright for a Geranium. An exceptionally striking variety.

**MISS FRANCES PERKINS**—A constant bloomer of a charming deep rose-pink color, with a distinct white throat; stands the climate well.

**MRS. LAWRENCE**—This is one of the finest Geraniums. The color is an artistic shade of bright satiny-salmon-pink, slightly tinged white. 15 cents.

**S. A. NUTT**—This is the darkest and richest Geranium known. It is very bright, dark, deep, rich, velvety maroon, an excellent bedder and a perfect pot plant. One that must find its way into every collection.

# Single Geraniums None Finer Than These Varieties

15 cents each. Will send four single Geraniums, our selection of varieties, for 50 cents.

**ALBION**—One of the finest single whites. Pure in color; immense in size; circular form.

**DRYDEN**—A most gorgeous flower borne profusely; bright cochineal-red, shading to pure white throat.

**GENERAL GRANT**—The old standby as a bright red bedding Geranium. It is a mass of scarlet all summer. It has no superior.

**JULIA MARLOWE**—Broad overlapping petals of bright scarlet. A splendid round flowered variety.

**L'AUBE**—Enormous sized trusses, large, round florets, pure snow-white, retaining its pureness the entire season.

**MADAME MOSNAY**—A magnificent shade of red. Upper petals shaded violet to white center; unsurpassed.

**MADAMOISELLE ANASTASIE LECADRE**—Rich crimson-carmine lake, shading through a maculated effect to a pure white center. Extra fine.

**MRS. E. G. HILL**—A profuse bloomer of a soft light salmon. Each petal bordered with rose-salmon. Exquisite.

**PAMELA**—Immense round flowers, with a large, pure white center, shading through a maculated effect to a broad, distinct outer margin of crimson-lake.

## SWEET-SCENTED GERANIUMS

10 cents each; the three for 25 cents.

**LEMON**—The foliage is pronouncedly lemon-scented.

**NUTMEG**—Foliage has true nutmeg fragrance.

**ROSE**—The famous sweet rose-scented Geranium; very fragrant.

# Pelargonium or Lady Washington Geraniums

## The Grandest of all Flowering Plants

We here offer twelve distinct sorts, every one entirely different in color and every one a beauty. The Lady Washington Geraniums are the handsomest of all flowers—once seen, never forgotten.

35 cents each; any three of your selection for \$1.00; the entire set of twelve beautiful sorts for \$3.00.

**CAPTAIN RAIKES**—A grand ruffled or fringed variety, with very large flowers borne in large, fine-shaped trusses; color bright red, with lighter center, with heavy maroon blotches in upper petals.

**CRIMSON KING**—Rich bright red, with lovely ruffled violet throat; distinct.

**DOROTHY**—It is a perpetual blooming variety, usually commencing to bloom in December or January, and continuing throughout the spring and summer. The throat and edges of the petals are pure white each shaded toward the center with rich carmine-pink, with a glowing crimson blotch on each. We have always been unable to supply the demand, but now have a fine stock of plants to offer.

**GOLD MINE**—Rosy-scarlet, with white throat; each upper petal has a shining black blotch.

**LINDA**—Rosy-salmon; two upper petals black spotted; a grand sort.

**MRS. ROBERT SANDIFORD**—(The New Double White) The flowers are three inches across, of the purest snow-white and perfectly double and very free in bloom. You cannot imagine anything prettier.

**MADAME THIBAUT**—(The New Double Pink.) The flowers are three inches in diameter, perfectly double, of the brightest pure pink, beautifully ruffled edges; very free in bloom.

**MARIE MALLET**—Lower petals white, upper petals black, bordered red; elegant.

**MRS. BRADSHAW**—Large flower, pure white, with each petal showing dark maroon center.

**PRINCE GEORGE**—Clear pink, each petal blotched crimson. Considered by many who have seen it to be the prettiest.

**PRINCESS MAY**—Beautiful deep rose, spotted with carmine; extra.

**VICTOR**—The flowers are a bright cherry-red, with white at the base of each petal; the two upper petals are dark crimson-maroon. The flowers are of immense size and are very freely produced.

**REMEMBER**, the above twelve, the most beautiful of all Geraniums, for \$3.00. There is nothing to compare with these for beauty in the plant line.



THE WONDERFUL PANSY GERANIUM

# New Pelargonium Geranium

**Easter Greeting** This new ever-blooming pelargonium was shown at Mannheim horticultural exhibition in Germany. Planted out as a bedding plant and bloomed continually until late in the fall. It will prove the forerunner of a new race of everblooming kinds, as it rivals the orchids in beauty. The following description is from the German introducer, Carl Faiss:

"This new species is the earliest of all Pelargoniums, with enormous florets and clusters, having light green foliage and of dwarf, robust growth. It blooms from March until fall. The florets are of a fiery-amaranth-red, with five large, regular shaped spots. The first and only kind to bloom as well bedded out as in pots, and to do so all summer." 50 cents each; two for 80 cents.

## Pansy Geranium (Mrs. Loyal)

A Wonderful Plant

This new and wonderful Pansy Geranium is of the easiest growth, dwarf in habit, and literally covered with flowers all the time, and as it requires little or no attention, it is invaluable as a window plant. The coloring and markings of the flowers are most extraordinary—light pink, white, dark purple, black, etc., almost rivaling the Pansy in uniqueness of flower. It is this combination of coloring which obtained for it the popular name of Pansy Geranium. Strong plants, ready to bloom, 35 cents each; three for \$1.00.

# The New French Hydrangeas

Let us tell our friends that these new French Hydrangeas are the most meritorious plants brought out in years. They have enormous trusses of bloom that completely hide the plant. They are half hardy and may be planted in the latitude of Philadelphia and in the Gulf and Pacific states. They are also fine as house plants, blooming in the spring time about Easter. When kept at a temperature of seventy degrees out of doors they bloom about June.

**The Famous Blue Flowered Hydrangea, MOUSSELINE**—With us a beautiful plumbago-blue. The introducer describes it as a beautiful mauve-rose with cream-colored center; the flower heads are large and held erect; a decided acquisition. If you desire a beautiful deep blue Hydrangea flower get this one. **Young plants, 30 cents; strong plants, 60 cents.**

**E. G. HILL**—This is the newest one and the very best, and is by far the very best pink that we have yet tried; trusses of immense size. Color a most pleasing shade of baby pink that does not fade. Growth vigorous, foliage large and attractive. It is one of the easiest to force into bloom during the spring, coming into flower early. **Young plants, 35 cts.; strong plants, 75 cts.**



NEW FRENCH HYDRANGEA.

## All the Following "New Hydrangeas," Young Plants, 20 Cents, Strong Plants, 40 Cents.

**AVALANCHE**—A splendid large white, which has made a reputation for itself during the past two seasons. An easy variety to force.

**BOUQUET ROSE**—Large trusses of well-formed flowers, rosy-amber turning to bright pink; has proven a special favorite in the New York market this season.

**FRAICHEUR**—Very large, regularly shaped flowers, white delicately suffused with rose. Very free flowering.

**GENERAL DE VIBRAY**—A favorite wherever seen. Very large heads of bright rose-colored flowers. A splendid early forcing variety.

**LA LORRAINE**—Very large flowers, pale rose, turning to bright pink; has become a general favorite during the past two years.

**MONT ROSE**—Immense panicles of clear flesh-rose, entirely distinct. One of the very best early flowering varieties.

**MLLE. RENEE GAILLARD**—Very large panicles of milky-white, irregularly dentated flowers, which is certain to become popular; it is entirely distinct. One of the best growers of Hydrangeas says that this variety should really have been awarded the silver medal given to Mme. Emile Moullere last year as the best white.

**MME. MAURICE HAMAR**—A delicate flesh-rose color; a vigorous grower, the individual flowers as well as the trusses being very large; one of the easiest to force. Early.

**MME. E. MOUILLERE**—This has been the favorite white variety in the New York market this year, very free flowering, of good size and form. Awarded silver medal at the National Flower Show at Boston last year. A great favorite with English growers, one London grower known to us handling over thirty thousand of this variety alone.

**ORNAMENT**—Large pretty mauve-pink flowers; free flowering. **SOUVENIR DE MME. E. CHAUTARD**—One of the very best, of splendid erect habit; very robust. Fine sized heads of bright rose-colored flowers. One of the very best of the Bouquet type.

**SPECIAL OFFER No. 58** The Entire Set of Thirteen New French Hydrangeas in young plants, costing \$2.85, For Only \$2.00, net.

# CARNATION PINKS The Divine Flower

FOR beauty of flower and color, ease of culture, certainty and freedom of bloom, together with exquisite fragrance, this is well called the "Divine Flower." Plants in the open ground or in pots quickly make large specimens, and when brought indoors in the fall produce an abundance of flowers throughout the entire winter. Carnation blooms are expensive; don't buy them—grow them yourself. Pinch the plant back frequently during the summer season. In the fall bring indoors, place in a four or five-inch pot, keep in a temperature of forty to fifty degrees at night, and they will yield an immense number of flowers with splendid stems, as fine as those sold by florists. If not pinched in they will bloom profusely during the summer. We offer the finest varieties in existence. Your order is incomplete without some Carnations.

## Excelsior Collection of Choicest Carnations

10 cents each; three for 25 cents; seven for 50 cents; Set of nine Excelsior Carnations, postpaid, for 65 cents.

**AFTERGLOW**—Very dwarf, and of a nice, bushy growth, forcing very long flower stems, each individual flower possessing a stem varying from three to eight inches in length. It has perfectly formed flowers; color a rich, bright rosy-red. We unhesitatingly recommend this sort.

**ABUNDANCE**—Flowers very large and perfect in form; color a bright rosy-pink, with salmon shading when the flowers are fully expanded. A very healthy grower and remarkably free bloomer. Plant dwarf, growing about fourteen inches high. This we consider one of the best pink varieties ever offered, and an excellent variety for pot culture.

**BONFIRE**—This is by far the darkest Carnation ever seen, and at the same time the most abundant bloomer. Brilliant dark red, shaded with richest maroon, fringed petals, nearly every flower being on a long stem. This variety surpasses in richness of color the most perfect Jacqueminot Roses.

**DELLA FOX**—Its color is almost indescribable. Of a rosy-orange shade, striped and flaked with carmine, never bursts its calyx, is very free and early flowering, and can always be cut with a long stem, a most desirable feature in the colored Carnation nowadays.

**ESTELLE**—One of the most fragrant Carnations we have seen. Color a clear, bright, glowing scarlet; a most continuous bloomer and distinct in color from any other sort offered. Greatly admired by all who have seen it growing here.

**MORNING GLORY**—This variety has been greatly admired wherever it has been seen for its desirable color, being a beautiful light pink satin color; flowers large size and very freely produced. Plant of grand habit and vigorous growth. It is a superb variety.

**ROSE PINK ENCHANTRESS**—As large as the largest light pink ever offered. A few blooms last season measured nearly four inches. It has taken first prizes wherever offered.

**WHITCOMB RILEY**—The ground color is the faintest blush, lightly penciled in soft pink. The bloom is fluffy in appearance, exquisitely beautiful in form. One of the grandest of all Carnations.

**WHITE CLOUD**—This is the largest white Carnation in cultivation—often measures four inches in diameter. The flowers are one of the purest white, with petals of great substance, making it one of the very best.

## "Novelty" Collection of Choice New Monthly Carnations

Price, 10 cents each; any three of your selection for 25 cents. This Novelty Collection of seven Monthly ever-blooming Carnation Pinks, 50 cents.

**VICTORY**—Another grand new variety so distinct that it stands alone. Awarded the Lawson Gold Medal, also the S. A. F. Medal at the Carnation Society's convention. The flowers measure three and one-half inches when well grown. Long, strong stems, two to three feet. A healthy, vigorous grower. But its color—a glowing scarlet-crimson, intense and fiery with its rich ox-blood shadings, far and away beyond all other Carnations.

**ENCHANTRESS**—The Great \$10,000 Beauty. The great forward stride in Carnations is made more manifest in this than in any other since the advent of the Mrs. Thomas W. Lawson. It was raised by the same grower, and he pronounces Enchantress superior to it. The flowers are three and one-half to four inches across when well grown. The color is a superb shade of rosy blush-pink.

**GAIETY**—Color pure white, with a few narrow pink pencillings about the edge and through the flower. Size large and full, form very round and symmetrical. One of the best producers beginning to bloom early and continuing throughout the season without intermission.

## "THE DIVINE FLOWER"

**HER MAJESTY**—Purity of color fairly glistens all over this flower. Form is simply perfect, size larger than any other white, stem the strongest and about thirty inches long. It is bound to become the standard white for both winter and summer blooming, as it will start blooming July 1st and continue until the same time a year later.

**LADY BOUNTIFUL**—Largest flowers of the purest immaculate white; large-sized blooms. Valuable for garden planting and for pot culture. Very sweetly scented with that delightful old-fashioned clove fragrance.

**MAY DAY**—This is the largest Carnation ever offered. It is a wonderfully free bloomer, considering the monster size the flowers attain. White, overlaid with pink, reminding one of the beautiful tints seen in Azaleas.

**The Sensational Carnation, MRS. THOS. W. LAWSON**—The grandest pink Carnation, a true exhibition variety. Bloom large and spreading, stem stiff; a good grower. All newcomers will have to meet comparison with the Lawson. Very free for so large a flower. The Lawson is the queen of a class all her own, just as American Beauty is among Roses. No grower can afford to be without it. Thirty thousand dollars was paid for this variety; highest price ever paid for any flower.

## PRIZE SET OF MUMS

**BLACK HAWK**—An extra fine deep crimson variety of the largest size; none finer of its color. 15 cents.

**GOLDEN GLOW**—Bright yellow of velvety finish. Flower five and one half inches in diameter. 10 cents.

**MRS. JEROME JONES**—One of the finest white Chrysanthemums ever raised; flowers of exquisite form and finish; grand. 10 cents.

**MAJOR BONAFFON**—One of the very best deep golden-yellow Chrysanthemums; beautiful flower, both in form and color; incurved. 15 cents.

**MISS MINNIE BAILEY**—One of the grandest all pink Chrysanthemums. In finish it is exquisite, showing not the slightest trace of coarseness. 10 cents.

**JOHN SHRIMPTON**—A rich red that has many admirers; of the largest size. Extra. 15 cents.

**LAVENDER QUEEN**—A lovely shade of pinkish lilac. Very desirable. 15 cents.

**MRS. PERRIN**—Still the brightest of all the pinks. Beautifully formed. 10 cents.

**MRS. O. P. BASSETT**—A light lemon yellow of the largest size; grand. 10 cents.

**PERCY PLUMRIDGE**—This grand variety has literally leaped into popularity. Flowers are so large as to startle you. The color shades from a few rows of lavender pearl to the richest pink. 15 cents.

**VIRGINIA POEHLMAN**—Claimed by many to be the very best white to date. Pure white faintly tinged pink. A most wonderfully beautiful Chrysanthemum. 20 cents.

**TIMOTHY EATON**—The largest and grandest of all white "mums"; simply immense. 10 cents.

**ROBERT HALLIDAY**—Flowers of mammoth size and deep golden yellow; really a wonder. 10 cents.

**CLEMENTINE TOUSET**—The most wonderful of all white "mums." Pure snow white, often flushed pink; of immense size. 15 cents.

**NAGOYA**—One of the largest and finest brilliant yellows in the whole Chrysanthemum family. 15 cents.

**SILVER CLOUD**—A delicate shade of peach pink bordered white. 10 cents.

**GOOD GRACIOUS**—This is the grandest of all pink Chrysanthemums. Its name originated from a lady on first seeing it, exclaiming "Good Gracious." 20 cents.

**GOLDEN WEDDING**—Nothing finer among yellows; shines like burnished gold. The standard for measuring yellows; of mammoth size. 15 cents.

**CHRISTMAS CHEER**—This is one of the most brilliant Chrysanthemums. 20 cents.

**AUSTRALIAN GOLD**—Deep golden yellow with tones of bronze; of immense size; the petals are feathery, incurved and whorled. 15 cents.

## Early Flowering Chrysanthemums

So many persons have asked for varieties of Chrysanthemums that would flower before frost comes in the fall. We here offer the very best early "mums," so you can see them flower in the garden. Price, 20 cents each; the five for 85 cents.

**CARRIE**—Brightest yellow; large and fine.

**GLORY OF THE PACIFIC**—A lovely shade of brightest pink; large and fine.

**ESTELLE**—Pure snow-white; literally covers the plant.

**MONROVIA**—By far the best; very early; yellow, rich and fine.

**OCTOBER FROST**—Purest snow-white; fairly glistens in its purity.

## Ostrich Plume Chrysanthemums

Below We offer a grand Collection of these Chrysanthemums. The term "Ostrich Plume" is applied to this type on account of the feathery growth with which the petals are thickly covered.

PRICE 15 CENTS EACH.

**LOUIS BOEHMER**—A most beautiful shade of lavender-pink.

**AUDREY (New)**—Pure snow-white, ostrich plume. Elegant.

**HAIRY WONDER**—Enormous terra-cotta, broad, spreading Japanese variety, with extremely wide cupping and incurving petals, which are covered with glandular hairs. Reported as the largest and best hairy ever exhibited. Habit, stem and foliage perfect.

## Hardy Pompon Chrysanthemums

These beautiful varieties are again very popular for outdoor bedding purposes. They are quite hardy, and with but a slight covering of leaves or coarse stable litter during the winter will take care of themselves after once planted, and produce an abundant, almost lavish, profusion of bloom; and the plants lend a coloration to the garden just at a time when other plants have been destroyed by frost and are looking their worst. Frost does not materially affect the flowering, and it will frequently happen that an armful of flowers can be cut after a sharp frost. Price, 15 cents each.

**DINIZULA**—Rosy-lake; very fine.

**ELEGANTA**—Deep pink, tipped and edged white.

**GOLDFINCH**—Magnificent; gold, shaded crimson; extra.

**GOLDEN FLEECE**—Large, bright lemon-yellow.

**KADAR**—Clear magenta; extra fine.

**MRS. VINCENT**—Large; deep purplish-rose.

**RHODA**—Bronzy-pink; fine.



# Flowering Begonias

Begonias are fine for pot culture indoors and to plant on the north side of the house or other building, or in front of porch where they get shade. The foliage, as well as the flowers, are extremely ornamental, some being spotted and veined to give a parti-colored effect that is quite striking. Begonias planted with Crotons give a wonderful foliage effect, and this is heightened with their lovely showy flowers. Except where noted, 10 cents each, Six for 50 cents; the set of Seventeen costing \$2.25, sent for only \$1.75, net.

**ALBA PICTA**—Long, pointed, slender leaves, thickly spotted with silvery-white. Foliage small and elegant.

**ALBA PERFECTA GRANDIFLORA**—We doubt if there is a white-flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but it is lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a pure white flowering Begonia of much merit.

**ARGENTEA GUTTATA**—It has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. Produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems. Good for house culture.

**The Wonderful New Flowering Begonia CORALLINE LUCERNE**—This new Begonia has simply taken everybody who has seen it by storm. There was not a single lady or florist who visited our greenhouses the past spring that did not purchase this Begonia after they had seen it in flower. It certainly is a wonder. The blooms, last from a month to six weeks, and are borne in immense clusters almost hiding the plant. The color is bright coral-red, changing to a delicate pink. It is past the power of speech to describe it. A wonder. **Fine plants, 25 cents; strong plants, 40 cents; extra strong plants, 60 cents each.**

**DECORUS**—This is the white-flowering Rubra. Very similar to it, but with white flowers.

**FUCHSIOIDES COCCINNEA**—This beautiful plant makes handsome specimens, with its graceful branches and pendulous flowers of bright scarlet. Very floriferous.

**GRACILIS LUMINOSA**—A magnificent new specimen of the Semper-florens type, exceptionally sturdy and vigorous, and unquestionably one of the choicest bedding sorts in existence. Its flowers are large, perfect and plentiful, and never out of bloom. Color, the brightest scarlet. **15 cents.**

**MRS. TOWNSEND**—Here we have a grand new Begonia with broad metallic leaves; under side bronze-red. Flowers in large panicles of a beautiful pink color. A grand Begonia. **15 cents.**

**MARGUERITE**—Leaves a bronzy-green, somewhat resembling Metallica, but growing in more bushy form, and easier to handle when grown in pots. Large trusses of light rose-colored flowers freely produced.

**New Trailing Begonia, MARJORIE DAW**—This Begonia is distinct from all other Begonias, for instead of growing upright it droops. It bears great clusters of large, shining pink flowers that droop from long stems, making a beautiful sight. For single specimen pot plants or for baskets and vases "Marjorie Daw" is proving one of the best plant introductions in years. **20 cents.**

**PICTA ROSEA**—A wonderfully free growing Begonia of sterling worth and great beauty. The plant is very compact in growth, forming a dense, well proportioned bush with rich green foliage, spotted with silver. The flower is a rosy-flesh color, shaded with a silvery-pink and enlivened with dense clusters of yellow anthers. One of the most wonderful flowering Begonias within our knowledge. It blooms continually. **15 cents.**

**RESIDENT CARNOT**—The leaf is of silky texture, and is beautifully spotted with silver; under side plush-red. Very strong, free-growing variety, that will succeed with any ordinary care, growing rapidly and sending out quantities of beautiful coral-red flowers in large pendent panicles. **15 cents.**



A  
Wonderful  
Blooming  
Begonia



NEW BEGONIA  
CORALLINE LUCERNE.

**RUBRA**—Has strong, slender branches, gracefully drooping under heavy waxen leaves and pendent panicles of coral-colored flowers as large as a hand. Medium-sized plants are frequently seen with more than twenty such panicles at a time. **15 cents.**

**ROBUSTA**—This is one of the most peculiar Begonias grown. The stalk, stem and under side of the leaf are Indian-red. The upper side of the leaf glossy olive-green. The flower is composed of two wide and two narrow petals, the wide ones being broadcast at the base and terminating in a round point, of a beautiful bright rose.

**SANDERSONII**—Bushy growing variety; glossy deep green leaves; flowers in clusters of drooping scarlet, heart-shaped buds.

**THURSTONI**—The under side of the leaves is a rich purplish-red, the veinings very prominent, while the face or upper side is a bronzy-green, shaded with crimson and olive, with a peculiar glossy metallic luster over all. Flowers rosy-white, in large clusters well above the foliage. The plant has a fine habit. **15 cents.**

**VERNON**—A deep rose flowering Begonia. Suitable for pot culture or for bedding out. Always in bloom.

# Large Leaved Rex or Painted Leaf Begonias

Rex Begonias are grown exclusively for the great beauty of their foliage, which is large and beautifully variegated a peculiar silvery-metallic gloss. They make excellent pot plants, and are also effective for budding in shady corners. We make a specialty of this marvelous family of plants. They require light soil compound of rich loam, loose woods earth and sharp sand. They like a moist, warm atmosphere, and should be kept shaded during the summer. Do not allow the sun to strike the leaves when wet, and do not overwater the plants. **Except where noted, 20 cents each, three for 50 cents, the set of Six for 90 cents.**

**BEAUTY OF RICHMOND**—Dark green crows feet center with broad band of silver, edged darker with silver dot.

**KING OF REX**—One of the most effective of its class, though the oldest variety. Of a beautiful metallic luster, center and edge a soft velvety green with a broad silver zone terminating at the point. The foliage of this Begonia on well-grown specimens is so massive and the growth so majestic as to awe the beholder. Indeed, we doubt if we have a handsomer plant than this. It is of the very easiest culture. Anyone can succeed with it.

**LESODSII**—This is the finest and largest of any of the Rex family. It is impossible to describe in words the beautiful markings of this magnificent Begonia. It is a cross between Begonia Diadema and a Rex variety, but retains in a marked degree the Rex character. We consider this the finest of all the Rex family, both in size of leaf and rich coloring.

**MAGNIFICA**—One of the finest of the Rex family; a splendid grower and easy for the amateur to cultivate. The leaves are the darkest of all the Rex, and is a most distinct variety.

## Large Leaved Rex or Painted Leaf Begonias—Concluded



**MRS. SHEPARD**—A very pretty Rex, with long four-pointed leaf having a smooth surface with silvery white band around a deep bronze center.

**SILVER FLEECE**—The entire leaf has a pinkish-metallic lustre which makes it one of the most attractive varieties. The leaf is very large with a smooth edge and the plant is a vigorous grower.

## SPECIAL REX BEGONIAS

### SPIRAL LEAF REX BEGONIA **COUNTESS LOUISE ERDODY**

The leaf has a metallic luster, dark-silvery in the center; shading to coppery-rose toward the margin. The striking peculiarity which distinguishes it from all other Begonias consists in the fact that the two lobes at the base of the leaf do not grow side by side, but one of them winds in a spiral-like way until in a full grown leaf there are four of these twists lying on top of the leaf nearly two inches high. **25 cents; three for 60 cents.**

### THE RED LEAF REX BEGONIA,

### **Louise Closson**

One of the richest and most beautiful of the Rex family. The coloring is simply magnificent, center of leaf deep bronze with broad band of silvery-rose, edged bronze, giving the whole a purlish reddish-pink tint. The oddest color of all the Rex. **25 cents, three for 60 cents.**

## Tender Plants

Plants in This List  
Will Not Stand Frost

### **Asparagus Plumosus Hatcheri**

The New Lace Fern

It would hardly be possible to praise this new type too much and it has already made a name for itself among the most critical growers. It is of very rapid growth, the fronds set closer on the stems than the very best type of Plumosus Nanus, making a fuller heavier string and when cut lasts longer in good condition than any other, and is just as good for bunching as the old sort. We will not be surprised if it quickly becomes the leading variety. **15 cents; strong plants, 40 cents.**

### **Asparagus Plumosus Nanus**

**THE LACE FERN**—This graceful climber has to a great extent taken the place of the once popular Smilax in all fine decorations. It possesses the advantage of being much more graceful—its foliage being finer than that of the most delicate Fern—and will last for weeks after being cut, the whole plant being of a bright, cheerful green. Excellent house plant, succeeding under almost any conditions; by pinching back may be grown as a plant. **10 cents each for fine plants; large, strong plants, 35 cents each.**

### **ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI**

**THE EMERALD FEATHER FERN**—A most desirable species especially useful to grow as a pot plant for decorative purposes or for planting in baskets or vases. The fronds are frequently

four feet long, of a rich shade of green, and most useful for cutting, retaining their freshness for weeks after being cut. It will make an excellent house plant, as it withstands dry atmosphere and will succeed in almost any situation. **10 cents each, three for 25 cents; strong plants, 25 cents.**



THE NEW LACE FERN

## TENDER PLANTS—Continued.



BRUGMANSIA, or ANGEL'S TRUMPET

### Brugmansia, or Angel's Trumpet

Here is a plant for the masses. It grows easily, blooms freely, and the flower is something to be proud of. The Brugmansia blooms indoors in winter and in the garden in summer. The plant has large, tropical leaves, with blooms eight inches long by six inches wide at the mouth, resembling a trumpet, hence the name, "Angel's Trumpet." Pure white in color and as fragrant as a Jasmine. Fine plants, 25 cents.



New Giant FANCY-LEAVED COLEUS, CHRISTMAS GEM

### New Giant Coleus, Christmas Gem

(Brilliantcy, or Dr. Ross.)

Leaves immense, eight to twelve inches long, looks like a Rex Begonia, and just as beautiful. Cannot be excelled as a pot plant. The name aptly describes the appearance of this variety, which belongs to the giant-leaved section; of strong, vigorous habit, growing from two to three feet high, with leaves often nine to ten inches long, which are of bright carmine, shading off to a deep maroon, the margin being yellow and green, the whole leaf having a rich velvety luster. 20 cents; three for 50 cents.

### The Wonderful New Coleus Trailing Sensation

This Coleus is an entirely new break, as no one ever before heard of a Coleus that trailed. It is the first and only one with this habit. The foliage is most glorious, having a large, distinct center of bright pink or red, with a broad border of emerald-green. No plant is more suitable or showy for hanging baskets, window boxes, vases or for pot culture than this one, as its graceful branches hang in lovely festoons two to three feet in length. Coleus Trailing Sensation is in a class by itself. 20 cents each. Put several plants in a basket and see how lovely a plant may become.

### COLEUS, General Assortment

We have a collection of thirty kinds of the most distinct sorts. Leave the selection of varieties to us, as it is hard to describe the various tints.

5 cents each, any six for 25 cents, any twelve for 50 cents; twenty-five distinct varieties for \$1.00.

These are all good bedders, standing the hot sun without losing their color. Price of Coleus by the hundred when sent by express, \$3.50, you to pay the expressage.

### CROTONS

Nothing can excel the beauty and richness of coloring that is found in this class of plants. They are beautiful pot plants for the conservatory, making very handsome specimens for decorative and exhibition purposes. They are used extensively as bedding plants, for which purpose they are exceptionally well adapted. They should be planted in full sun, in a position where they can be more liberally supplied with water, which develops the most wonderful coloring in the foliage. Undoubtedly the most interesting and showiest bedding in our Springfield yards the past few years was made with this plant. They are fine for basket or vase work. Where we used to sell dozens we now ship thousands. Leave the selection of varieties to us. We can supply twelve choice kinds. Fine plants, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents; six for 75 cents, twelve for \$1.25.

### CAMELLIA JAPONICA

Camellia is considered the queen flower of the South, and is called the "Japonica." During the month of May immense trees can be seen in full bloom, making the most gorgeous sights to behold. Their dark, shiny leaves contrast beautifully with the waxy-like blooms, which come in pink, white, rose, carmine and variegated shades. No garden is complete without them, as they are also quite hardy in the Southern States and require no protection or care. They are called the Royal Family of greenhouse plants. Time of blooming is in winter and in early spring. Requires a moderate and uniform temperature, with as little artificial heat as possible. When set with flower buds great care must be taken in watering—when left too dry the buds are sure to drop. We offer splendid plants, bushy, well-grown specimens, and all in splendid health. The varieties are the best extant, the pick of a continental collection. Plants two to two and one-half feet high, \$1.00 each; the set of twelve distinct kinds for \$10.00; any four for \$3.75. All our Camellias are double-flowered. We can supply fifteen sorts other than the twelve named at same price, all fine varieties, by express at your expense.

- CHANDELIERI ELEGANS—Lively red, spotted pure white.
- COUNTESS LAVINIA MAGGI—Pure white striped red.
- DONKELAARI EUGENE LIZE—Clear red, spotted with white.
- DUCHESS DE CAZI—Carnation-pink, veined rose, bordered white.
- IL TRAMENTO—Carmine striped white, very rich.
- MARGHANTA CALEONIE—Fine red maculated with white.
- MADAME LEBOIS—Clear red.
- NOBILISSIMA—A better white than Alba Plena; much freer in bloom. Extra pure white. The grandest of all Camellias.
- PRESTON ROSE—Color beautiful transparent rose; grand.
- PRINCESS BACCIOCHI—Dark red.
- PRINCESS CLOTHILDE—Clear pink, striped red.
- SACO NOVA—Delicate transparent pink. Ethereally beautiful.

### FUCHSIAS, or Ladies' Eardrops

Price, 15 cents; the set of six for 75 cents.

- BLACK PRINCE—This is, without question, the very finest Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects, and is probably the freest in blooming. We have seen specimen plants six feet in height and four feet across loaded with thousands of bright buds and blossoms of a beautiful waxy carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture.
- ENFANT PRODIGY—A grand Fuchsia; bright red sepals deep purple corolla.
- MONSTROSA—Of the largest size; scarlet sepals, double snow-white corolla.

## TENDER PLANTS—Continued

**SPECIOSA**—Habit erect and compact, presenting a decidedly neat and attractive appearance as a pot plant. The fine star-shaped flowers are produced in profusion, and begin when plants are quite young. The flowers are three inches or more in length; tube and sepals bright rose, corolla brilliant carmine; it blooms quite freely.

**PHENOMENAL**—Large, double purple.

**New Trailing QUEEN FUCHSIA**—Entire new, differing from other varieties in its habit of growth, as it is a trailing vine. Flowers are borne in drooping clusters.

### New Pink Hibiscus, "Peachblow"

The flowers are double and from four to five inches in diameter, of a charming, rich, clear pink color, with small, deep crimson center. It is one of the freest flowering plant novelties recently offered. The color is an entirely new and beautiful shade, and it blooms abundantly and continuously during the summer and fall months. Large plants two and three years old make a magnificent show. It will give general satisfaction to those who grow it, either in pots or planted out in the garden. It blooms well in the winter in the greenhouse or in any sunny window. 20 cents; strong, fine plants, 40 cents.

## CHINESE HIBISCUS

Price, 15 cents each, any four for 50 cents. We have large plants of Hibiscus, ready to bloom, for 35 cents. These are handsome plants.

**SINENSIS GIGANTEUS**—This is a plant for house cultivation during winter or summer, or for planting outside during summer. It blooms at all times of the year. The plants branch freely and flower profusely, commencing to bloom when not more than a foot high. As a specimen plant for large pots it has an equal only in the Brugmansia. Its flowers are of enormous size, often eight to ten inches across, opening flat, and of such vivid crimson-scarlet color that they can be seen from a long distance like a flaming torch. They can be wintered in the cellar or pit with perfect safety, and if one does not care to grow them all winter, one should have one or two for summer display.

**GRANDIFLORUS**—Rich, glossy cut-leaved foliage, literally covering the plant with scarlet-crimson flowers.

**SUB-VIOLACEOUS**—Flowers of enormous size, beautiful carmine, tinted with violet. Probably the largest flower of the Hibiscus family, and an unusually free bloomer. We take great pleasure in recommending this fine plant.

**DOUBLE CRIMSON**—This grand variety has immense flowers of the richest crimson; combined with glossy foliage, renders it best of all.

**AURANTIACUS**—Large and double with orange-colored flowers.

**CARMINIATUS PERFECTUS**—Full, round flowers of perfect shape and of a rich, soft carmine-rose, with a deep crimson eye fully six inches in diameter.

**COLLERII**—Flowers buff-yellow, with a crimson-scarlet base; peculiarly handsome and double.

**VERSICOLOR**—A variety combining in its flowers all the colors of the whole family, being handsomely striped crimson, buff, rose and white. Flowers eight inches in diameter.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—We will send the entire set of nine distinct kinds of Hibiscus, including Peachblow, for \$1.25.

### The Beautiful Dwarf Ornamental OTAHEITE ORANGE

This valuable and distinct variety of the Orange family is a dwarf, compact grower, with glossy deep green foliage which has a decided odor of the Orange Tree of Florida, and is exceedingly floriferous, producing a wonderful profusion of pure white flowers of the most delicious fragrance, identical with the much-sought-for blooms of the Southern Orange groves. Otaheite fruits immediately after flowering, bearing fruit about one-half the size of the ordinary Orange, retaining in a marked degree their sweetness. This unique Orange cannot be equaled as a winter-blooming pot plant for house culture. Requires but little sunlight, and flowers and fruits when but twelve to fifteen inches high. As a pot plant this lovely dwarf Orange is one of the most novel and beautiful that can be grown. With a couple of plants of it you can have an abundance of the far-famed delicate and fragrant Orange blossoms. We have grown a large stock of clean, vigorous plants of this beautiful Orange that will bloom and fruit at once. We commend it to our friends as a novelty of sterling worth and merit. Fine plants, 15 cents each; strong plants, 25 cents each; extra large, strong plants, ready to bloom and bear profusely, 50 cents each.

## OLEANDERS

These old-fashioned shrubs are becoming immensely popular again. We are growing and selling them by thousands. No plant makes more handsome specimens in tubs for the veranda or yard. Can be wintered in the cellar. Except when noted, 15 cents each; the set of four Oleanders for 50 cents.

**LUTEA**—Has double primrose-yellow flowers of a lovely shade, also fragrant. Scarce.

**ROSEA**—Has double pink flowers. The old favorite. Very sweet.

**ROSEA VARIEGATA**—Foliage is green, deeply edged with yellow; pink flowers. 20 cents.

**LILIAN HENDERSON**—Has double white flowers of the largest size. Fragrance like the old double pink. Scarce.

The four different colors of Oleanders for 50 cents.

## EMPEROR PANSIES

Our Emperor Pansies are the best the world produces. They are the choicest large-flowering sorts, both of European and American growers. It has been our aim to make this the finest strain of this favored flower in existence. 5 cents each, six for 20 cents, 35 cents per dozen, forty for \$1.00, net.



NEW LEMON PONDEROSA

The Wonderful New

## LEMON PONDEROSA

Our New Ponderosa Lemon is what we claim for it. Largest freest blooming, fruiting and most delicious of all Lemons.

Nothing that has ever been brought to our notice in the plant line has caused half the commotion that this wonderful Lemon has. It is a true ever-bearing variety. On a plant six feet high no less than eighty-nine of the ponderous Lemons were growing at one time. It was a beautiful sight to see. The tree was blooming, and at the same time had fruit in all stages of development, from the size of a pea up to the ripe fruit, showing it to be a true ever-bearer. Fruit has been taken from this tree weighing over four pounds. The Lemons have very thin rind for such large fruit. It is the juiciest of all Lemons, makes delicious lemonade, and for culinary purposes cannot be excelled. We have the entire stock of this ponderous Lemon, and guarantee the trees to produce the same large fruit. No budding or grafting necessary. Ponderosa Lemon is sure to become popular when it is known. It fruits when quite small, and makes a lovely house plant. Everybody can grow his own lemons; it will fruit freely each year. Thrifty young plants, 15 cents each; strong one-year-old plants, many of which will fruit this year; strong two-year-old plants, 50 cents each.

# TENDER PLANTS—Continued

## Peperomia Muscosa, or Watermelon Begonia

This is also known as the Silver-Leaved Begonia. Here is a most beautiful plant for pot culture; easy to grow and thrives anywhere; leaves deep olive-green, distinctly marked with silvery-white. Thick and waxy-like; leaves distinctly variegated white and green, and have the appearance of being powdered with frosted silver. 15 cents.



WATERMELON BEGONIA

## Ruellia Mokoyana



RUPELLIA MOKOYANA

This is a charming indoor plant for culture in pots or may be used in vases and baskets; of bushy spreading habit and finely marked leaves, which are beautiful olive-green, delicately veined with silver and rich purple underneath. A neat and handsome plant, always bright and pretty. The flowers are exceedingly beautiful, trumpet shaped, and of a rosy-lavender color, almost covering the plant in their great profusion. 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

## Sansevieria Zeylanica, Zebra Plant

A beautiful plant, specially adapted for the decoration of drawing rooms and halls, as it stands dust and drought with impunity and requires scarcely any water. The leaves are beautifully striped crosswise, with broad white variegations on a green ground. It is a rare and beautiful plant, which should be abundantly grown for positions out of the reach of sunshine, where other plants will not thrive. It can be placed in any position in any room and do well. It has a singular beauty for decorative purposes which other plants do not possess, and it is useful both in winter and summer. For vases and baskets it is a fine centerpiece, and grows splendidly out of doors during summer. Fine plants, 15 cents; two for 25 cents.

## Ever-Blooming Tritoma Pfitzerii

The greatest bedding plant ever introduced, surpassing the finest Cannas for attractiveness and brilliancy, equal to the Gladiolus as a cut flower, and blooms incessantly from June until November. Plants perfectly hardy in open ground all winter south of Philadelphia. Further north they must be protected or wintered in the cellar like the ordinary Tritoma. Just bury the roots in sand; nothing more is required. Should be planted out very early in the spring, and will commence growth and bloom at once, growing larger and finer every day. Plants show six to twenty grand flower stalks all the time, each holding at a height of three to four feet a cluster of flame colored flowers of indescribable beauty and brilliancy. Each cluster keeps perfect several weeks, and when it fades several more are ready to take its place. Fall frosts do not kill it or stop its blooming, and it is as brilliant as ever long after all other garden flowers have been killed. For cutting it is unsurpassed, and the beautiful long spikes keep several weeks in water. Strong plants that will bloom the first summer, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

## Beautiful and Fragrant Violets

Of all the delightful perfumes that of sweet Violets is the most delicate and pleasing. If grown in the house for winter flowers they should be kept at a low temperature, as they will not bloom freely where it is too warm. If left in the open ground during winter, protect with a covering of leaves.

**Double White Perpetual-Flowering Violet SWANLEY WHITE, or Queen of Fragrance**—Of all the white Violets, this is the best, either for pot culture in the house or bedded out. In pots it grows luxuriantly and is loaded with flowers. It is not an uncommon sight to see as many as fifty large flowers open at once, presenting a beautiful sight, their delicious perfume filling a whole room. 15 cents each.

**LADY HUME CAMPBELL**—A true ever bloomer. This is one of the finest of all double blue Violets. It is simply wonderful the number of beautiful flowers it produces. In color it is a shade of the richest intense blue. It is a charming contrast with the white variety. 15 cents.

## New Imperial or Parma Violet

This is, without question, the largest, richest colored and most highly perfumed of all the Violets. It blooms very freely, literally bending the plant with its lovely blue flowers of the largest size. Its blooming season is longer than any other Violet. 20 cents; the three Violets for 40 cents.

# TENDER PLANTS

- ACALYPHA SANDERI—The comet plant.
- ACALYPHA TRICOLOR—Fine bedding plant.
- ACALYPHA TRIUMPHANS—Gorgeous foliage, fine bedder.
- Price of Acalyphas, fine plants, 15 cents; the three for 35 cents. Strong plants, 30 cents each.
- ALOYSIA CITRIODORA LEMON VERBENA—The most fragrant foliage of any plant. Each. 10c
- ALYSSUM—Giant double-flowered. Pure white flowers 10c
- ANTIRRHINUM, or Snap Dragon—Four colors—white, yellow, pink and red. (Four for 30 cents)..... 10c
- BROWALLIA GIGANTEA—Flowers intense indigo-blue. 10c
- CRABE MYRTLE—Three colors, pink, crimson and purple. 10c
- CUPHEA PLATYCENTRA, or Cigar Plant. 10c
- CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS, The Umbrella Plant—A handsome pot plant, useful in vases, etc. (Four for 25c)..... 8c
- EUPHORBIA SPLENDENS, or Crown of Thorns. 15c
- GENISTA, or Gold Shrub—Golden-yellow flowers. 10c
- HYDRANGEA OTAKSA—Delicate, fine pink flower. 15c
- HYDRANGEA RAMIS PICTUS, or Red-Branched—Pink flower. 15c
- HELIOTROPE—In four separate colors. 10c
- IMPATIENS, or Sultana—Six distinct colors. (Six for 50c) 10c
- JASMINE MALAYAN, or Confederate Jasmine. 15c
- JASMINE CAPE—The well-known Cape Jasmine. 15c
- JASMINE CAPE—Strong blooming plants, two feet high, well branched. \$1.00

In this list we do not give extended descriptions, but our customers will find many valuable plants embraced. These are suitable for house and garden culture.

- JASMINE GRAND DUKE OF TUSCANY—Double white flowers. Each. 25c
- (Strong two-year-old plants, 50 cents.)
- JUSTICIA, the Pink Brazilian Plume Flower. 15c
- LANTANAS, or Shrubby Verbenas—(Three for 25c) 10c
- LANTANA, WEEPING—Fine for baskets and vases; lavender flowers. 10c
- MYRTLE, SWEET, German or the Jew or Bride's Myrtle—The leaves are very fragrant. 25c
- PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS—Sky blue flowers. 20c
- PLUMBAGO CAPENSIS ALBA—White flowers. 15c
- PETUNIAS—Double flowering, four colors. (Four for 50c)..... 15c
- PRIMROSE, NEW BABY, MALACOIDES—Light pink flowers. 10c
- PRIMROSE, CHINESE—Three colors—white, pink and red. 10c
- PRIMULA OBCONICA GRANDIFLORA—Always in bloom. 10c
- SALVIA SPLENDENS—Brilliant scarlet. 6c
- SALVIA LE PRESIDENT—Rich scarlet flowers. 6c
- SALVIA SPLENDENS ALBA—Pure white. 6c
- SALVIA SPLENDENS VARIEGATA—Variegated red and white. 6c
- SALVIA MRS. PAGE—A perfect sheet of scarlet. (Salvias 60 cents per dozen; 25 for \$1.00) 6c
- SAXIFRAGA SARMENTOSA or Strawberry Geranium 10c
- SELAGINELLA—Low-growing fern-like Moss; elegant. 10c
- VERBENAS, Mammoth-Flowering—All colors. (Seven for 50c)..... 8c
- VASE PLANTS—A fine assortment. (Eight for 50c)..... 8c

# Tender Vines and Climbers

These Make a Rapid Growth and Bloom Throughout the Summer; are very showy.

## THE WONDERFUL GIANT MOONFLOWER

(IPOMEA MAXIMA.)

A Giant in Growth and Flower and Wonderfully Fragrant.

This grand new Moonflower is a decided improvement over the old well-known variety *Ipomea Grandiflora*. The flowers are more than twice the size of the old variety, oftentimes measuring from six to seven and one-half inches across, and are produced in such wonderful profusion that they completely cover the vine with a veil of glistening white. Its growth is very rapid when planted in good rich light soil, nothing to equal it as a tender vine for porch and lattice shading. **Fine plants, 15 cents each.**

**New Moonflower, HEAVENLY BLUE**—This makes a splendid companion plant to the White Moonflower. It is equally rapid in growth, and a much freer blooming variety than the white one. The blooms come in clusters of five to twelve, and at times almost hide the vines. The flowers are the most heavenly blue, with reddish-purple rays, and six inches across. Nothing is more beautiful. **10 cents.**

**IPOMEA GRANDIFLORA, the True Ever-blooming Moonflower**—It is called the Moonflower from its rare peculiarity of blooming best at night and on dull cloudy days, flowers pure white in great profusion. **10 cents each.**

**ANTIGONON LEPTOPUS, or the "Queen's Wreath."**—Produces rose colored flowers in racemes two feet long, beautiful. **10 cents.**

**BOUGAINVILLEA SANDERIANA**—The Chinese paper plant. Lovely clear lavender flowers. **20 cents.**

**GERMAN, or PARLOR IVY**—A rapid-growing plant, well adapted for training in the parlor. Leaves glossy green and flowers yellow, in clusters. **8 cents each.**

**MADEIRA VINE**—White flowers; exquisitely fragrant. **5 cents; three for 10 cents.**

**SMILAX**—A lovely house vine. **6 cents.**

**TRADESCANTIA, or WANDERING JEW**—Fine for baskets. Two distinct kinds. **10 cents.**

**VINCA MAJOR VARIEGATA**—Fine for baskets and vases; green and white foliage. **10 cents; large strong plants, 20 cents.**

# TENDER BULBS

## TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS

See last page of cover for these Begonias in color, page one for description and price.

**SINGLE FLOWERING**—White, yellow, crimson, scarlet orange and pink. **10 cents, three for 25 cents; the six for 35 cents.**

**DOUBLE FLOWERING**—White, yellow, crimson, scarlet, orange and pink. **15 cents, three for 35 cents; the six for 50 cents.**

**CRISPA**—Giant blossoms of enormous size, with elegant fringed petals, with crisped or curled like appearance. Red, white, yellow, orange and pink. **15 cents, three for 35 cents; the five for 50 cents.**

**CRISTATA**—New crested or plume-like, petaled Begonias of great beauty, red, white, orange, yellow and pink. **15 cents, 3 for 35 cents; the five for 50c.**

## CALLA LILIES



The New Godfrey Calla Lily, "DEVONIENSIS."

**Black Calla, ARUM SANCTUM**—This is the famous Black Calla; it grows so very easily and produces Calla Lily shaped flowers that in color are coal black. This Lily produces the blackest flower of any plant in existence. It is simply jet black; stock is scarce. **25 cents each, two for 40 cents.**

**Calla Ethiopica, EGYPTIAN LILY**—This is the well known Egyptian Lily, or Lily of the Nile, with large white flowers, broad foliage, and it will prosper under very adverse circumstances. **Plants to bloom next winter, 15 cents; strong blooming bulbs, 25 cents each.**

**The New Godfrey Calla Lily, "DEVONIENSIS"**—Undoubtedly the finest thing ever sent out in the Calla line, and quite indispensable. Blooms all winter. Compared with the ordinary Calla, it gives three blooms to one; is snow-white and perfect in form. Blooms on very small plants, though it attains to a very large size with very large flowers. **Blooming bulbs, 30 cents each; two for 50 cents.**

**New Dwarf Calla, LITTLE GEM**—This Calla only grows about eighteen inches high, and is the freest blooming of all the Callas. The bloom is pure white. The following facts will convince anyone of its great superiority over the old sort. Of dwarf habit. The same plant will grow and bloom for years, and the quantity of bloom which a good plant will produce is astonishing. A large plant is hardly ever without one or more flowers. All in all, it is one of the most desirable plants we ever offered. **15 cents, two for 25 cents.**

**Golden Yellow Calla, RICHARDIA ELLIOTTIANA**—It has the same habit of growth as the ordinary white variety, with flowers of same size and shape, but of a rich, clear, lustrous golden-yellow color. **Blooming bulbs, 35 cents.**

**Spotted Calla, RICHARDIA ALBA MACULATA**—Plant with beautiful spotted leaves. It flowers abundantly during the summer months when planted out in the open border. It makes a fine plant for the center of vases. The flowers are shaped like those of a Calla, and are pure white, shaded with violet inside. Keep dry in the winter, and start in the spring like a Dahlia. **Blooming bulbs, 10 cents, three for 25 cents; larger size, to produce a dozen blooms, 20 cents.**

**SPECIAL OFFER**—The Six Calla Lilies costing \$1.30 for \$1.00 net.



GLADIOLI (Description on Page 35.)

## TENDER BULBS—Concluded

### Pan-American Gladioli

**GLADIOLI, The Pan-American**—Our Pan-American mixture is the best in the world, and we want to say to you candidly that you have never seen Gladioli until you see these flowers. This mixture includes all the new strains, such as "Gray's Inglesides," "Burbank's California Selects," "Childsii," and "Groff's Hybrids." They are very tall and erect, often standing four or five feet high, with spikes of bloom over two feet in length. They branch freely, in most cases each stem producing three or four spikes of bloom, and bloom much earlier than ordinary varieties. The flowers are of great substance and gigantic size, frequently seven to nine inches across. The form of both flower and spike is perfection itself, and they last in bloom a long time before fading, owing to their great substance and vigor. But the most remarkable feature is the coloring. Orchids cannot surpass them in varied and delicate shades, markings and blendings. Every color known among Gladioli is represented, and many never before seen, particularly blues, smoky grays and purple blacks, all having beautifully mottled and spotted throats made up of white, crimson, pink, yellow, etc., and in this peculiar network of charming spots and colors lies one of its special points of unsurpassed beauty. They far outrank all other Gladioli in size of spike, size of bloom, vigor, varied and magnificent coloring and freedom of bloom. **5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen, \$3.00 per hundred, by express; you to pay expressage. Cheaper mixture, 3 cents each, two for 5 cents, twelve for 25 cents.**

### Gladioli

Twelve choice named Gladioli. These are choice kinds and a wide range of color. Try a set of twelve and see how beautiful Gladioli can be. **5 cents each, any six for 25 cents; the twelve for 50 cents.**  
**AMERICA**—Large flesh-pink, tinted lavender; extra.  
**AUGUSTA**—Lovely pure white, with blue anthers.  
**BRECHLEVENIS**—Vermilion-scarlet; very brilliant.  
**CANARY BIRD**—A lemon-yellow of good size and substance.  
**FLORIDA**—Fiery-red, white throat.  
**F. BERGMAN**—Large orange-pink with carmine stains.  
**JESSIE**—Fine velvety red, long spikes of flowers.  
**JOHN BULL**—A grand salmon.

**KLONDYKE**—Light yellow, with crimson-maroon blotch.  
**MME. MONNERET**—Delicate rose, with white stripe.  
**MAY**—White, flaked with rosy-crimson.  
**MRS. F. KING**—A light scarlet of pleasing shade.

### Excelsior Pearl Tuberoses

The Finest in Existence. All Blooming Bulbs.

**DWARF EXCELSIOR PEARL TUBEROSE**—Year after year its popularity has increased until the demand for it has reached enormous proportions. It grows about eighteen inches high, blooms early and with the greatest freedom, matures perfectly. Flowers pure white, very double and of immense size, and intensely sweet. This is the sweetest of all Tuberoses. **Fine, extra large, well-ripened bulbs, all sure to bloom, 5 cents, three for 10 cents, twelve for 35 cents.**  
**AMARYLLIS FORMOSISSIMA**—Flowers are rich, dark scarlet. **20 cents.**  
**AMARYLLIS EQUESTRE**—(The Eagle Lily.) Color deep brick-red; extra fine. **20 cents.**  
**AMARYLLIS JOHNSONII**—Dark red with a delicate white feather in each petal. **40 cents.**  
**CYCLAMEN PERSICUM or Persian Violet**—Fine for house culture, blooming in the winter. **15 cents.**  
**CALADIUM ESCULENTUM or Elephant's Ear**—Fine for yards. Mammoth leaves. Good bulbs, **10 cents, three for 25 cents; large bulbs, 25 cents, six for \$1.25; mammoth bulbs, 50 cents.**  
**GLOXINIAS**—Our strain is the best on the market. Start the bulbs at beginning of summer in a warm place. All colors. **10 cents each, three for 25 cents.**  
**LILY, Milk and Wine**—Flowers three to four inches in diameter. Striped white and carmine. **25 cents.**  
**FAIRY LILY**—Bears a great profusion of delicate pink flowers, very free bloomer and easy to grow, it is a wonder, try a few bulbs in a pan and you will never be without them. **10 cents each, three for 25 cents.**  
**THE WHITE JAPANESE SPIDER LILY**—The florets are disposed in rays and resemble an immense spider. Of large size, pure white and deliciously fragrant. **Blooming bulbs, 25 cents.**

## HARDY VINES and CLIMBERS

### Large Flowering Clematis

**JACKMANII**—This is perhaps the best known of the fine perpetual Clematis, and should have credit for the great popularity now attending this family of beautiful climbers, free in growth, abundant bloomer, producing flowers until frozen up. The flowers are large, and of an intense violet-purple remarkable for their velvety richness. **50 cents.**  
**BANGHOLM BELLE**—This is the finest of all white Clematis. Flowers large, of a beautiful creamy-white. **50 cents.**  
**DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH**—This is, without doubt, the best of the double whites. Very free flowering; fragrant. **50 cents.**  
**VILLE DE LYON**—The color is bright rosy-red, entirely distinct from any other sort. A persistent bloomer and strong grower, with large flowers. **50 cents.**  
**GIPSY QUEEN**—A unique shade of Clematis, a pretty lavender-pink, a fine contrast to the strong-colored sorts. Rapid in growth and slender, graceful habit. **50 cents.**  
**SIEBOLDI**—A lovely shade of lavender; very beautiful and distinct. **50 cents.**  
**SPECIAL OFFER**—The set of six distinct large-flowering Clematis for \$2.25; any three for \$1.25. This is a bargain as the roots are large and strong. The best you have ever seen.

### Clematis Paniculata

Covered in August and September with a sheet of clustered snow-white bloom of the most delicious fragrance. An arbor or portico over which this Clematis is trained is a wall of white for the time being, and it blooms when nearly all other vines have ceased blooming. Perfectly hardy; grows rapidly. **Fine vines, 15 cents, two for 25 cents. Strong two-year field plants to bloom this year, 25 cents each.**

**AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII**—(The Boston Ivy.) Clings firmly to any wall, building or tree. Green leaves in summer, changing to red in the fall. **10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 25 cents; three-year-old plants, 40 cents.**

**CINNAMON VINE**—Bears white flowers with fine cinnamon fragrance. **5 cents each; six for 25 cents.**  
**ENGLISH IVY**—This climber is in great demand for covering walls. Plant in the least exposed situation. **15 cents.**  
**The Wonderful JAPANESE KUDZU VINE**—Jack and Bean Stalk Vine. This is the most rapid growing vine that anyone knows of. By measurement it has been known to grow twenty feet in a week. The foliage is large and tropical. It is entirely hardy. Everyone has trouble in getting nursery grown plants of this to grow. We have prepared and offer pot grown plants, the kind that have the crown to the plant and the ball of earth to the roots, and you try to stop them growing and see if you don't run into a snag. This is proving a great forage plant in the South. All kinds of stock prefer it to hay or other coarse feed. Try it. **20 cents each, two for 35 cents.**  
**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE (Aristolochia Sipo)**—A very rapid-growing hardy climber. The flowers are long and shaped like an old Dutch pipe. **35 cents.**  
**HONEYSUCKLE AUREA RETICULATA**—(Golden-Leaved.) A variety with beautiful variegated foliage of yellow, white and pink. **10 cents.**  
**HONEYSUCKLE CHINESE EVERGREEN**—Sweet-scented. Blooms nearly all the season; deliciously fragrant, flowers buff, yellow and white. **10 cents.**  
**HONEYSUCKLE HALL'S JAPAN**—Sweet-scented. This is the most consistent bloomer of the class, being literally covered all summer with beautiful yellow and white flowers; very fragrant. **10 cents.**  
**HONEYSUCKLE SCARLET TRUMPET, or Red Coral**—A rapid grower, bright red with trumpet-shaped flowers. This is the old, well-known variety. **10 cents.**  
**HONEYSUCKLE YELLOW TRUMPET**—Golden, trumpet-shaped flowers; fragrant. **10 cents.**  
**The set of five Honeysuckles for 40 cents.**  
**CHINESE MATRIMONY VINE**—Pale purple flowers followed by scarlet berries. A rapid and desirable climber. **10 cents.**  
**CHINESE WISTARIA**—Desirable for porches, trellises, etc., and when in full bloom is truly magnificent. It flowers in early spring, in long, drooping racemes, resembling in size and shape a bunch of grapes. **10 cents, large plants, 25 cents.**

# Hardy Border Plants and Bulbs

## Hardy Begonia, Evansiana



Photograph of New Hardy Begonia, EVANSIANA.

Think of it! A hardy Begonia, one that stood twenty degrees below zero last winter, and came up and bloomed all summer. Another thing in its favor, it requires shade to grow in, at least partial shade. So many persons write us asking for plants suitable for shady places. Well, Begonia Evansiana fills the bill. It is a wonderful, beautiful Begonia, having pendulous flowers in large racemes almost covering the entire plant. Color a sparkling pink that is simply entrancing. Everybody will want a hardy Begonia. It is also fine for pot culture. **Price for plants or bulbs to bloom this summer, 25 cents; three for 60 cents.**

## Burbank's Shasta Daisies

**SHASTA DAISIES**—(New.) The Shasta Daisy is one of the most marvelous productions in the flower line that has ever been brought to the notice of floriculturists. It is the first of a new type which has been obtained by hybridization and rigid selection through a series of years. Its first qualification is extreme hardness. Second, it is perennial, blooming better and more abundantly each season. Third, it is not particular as to soil. Fourth, it blooms for several months. Fifth, the flowers are extremely large and graceful, averaging about four inches in diameter, with petals of the purest glistening whiteness, which are borne on single, long, stiff, wiry stems. Sixth, the blooms when cut remain perfectly fresh and in good condition for two weeks or more. No other flower can compare with it in usefulness. **10 cents; three for 25 cents.**

## The New Hardy Ever-Blooming Carnation

### "Crimson King"

Everybody has asked for a Carnation that would live out in the garden during the winter. We have pleasure in offering this new plant, as it will fill the bill. It is absolutely hardy, standing the Canadian winters in the yard. It blooms all summer long, never a day that you cannot cut blossoms. The color is a rich crimson, the fragrance is delicious. **50 cents each for plants to bloom this summer.**

## Hardy Lilies

**LILIUM AURATUM**—(Golden-Rayed Queen of Lilies.) This is the grandest Lily grown, and a never-failing delight. The perfume is exquisite—light, yet penetrating. Also known as "Gold banded Lily from Japan." **25 cents.**  
**CANDIDUM**—(The Ascension Lily.) The well-known hardy garden Lily. Snow-white, fragrant blossoms. One of the best and an established favorite. **20 cents.**  
**GIGANTEUM**—(The Bermuda or Easter Lily.) Pot and treat the same as for Hyacinths. Each bulb will give from six to twelve flowers, in many cases many more. The flowers are fully six inches in length, of the purest white and of the most delicious fragrance. **Fine bulbs, 25 cents.**

**LANCIFOLIUM RUBRUM**—A beautiful bright rose, spotted with a dark velvety crimson. **25 cents.**

**LANCIFOLIUM ALBUM**—Very fragrant; large flowers; a pure white, with a green band running through the center of each petal; one of the best. **25 cents.**

**TIGRINUM FLORE PLENO**—(The Double Tiger Lily.) Bright orange, spotted black and very double. **25 cents.**

**TIGRINUM SIMPLEX**—(The Single Tiger Lily.) This is a great favorite. There is no better Lily grown. **20 cents.**

**Special Offer No. 59** This set of seven lovely Hardy Lilies, all distinct, costing \$1.65, sent for only \$1.35.

## Hardy Border Plant, Iris Germanica

(GERMAN IRIS)—"The Fleur de Lis" of France.

There is nothing prettier than the German Iris blooming from May 10th to June 10th. The colors are gorgeous, and they completely hide the plant. Be sure and plant some German Iris. Perfectly hardy.

**PALLIDA DALMATICA**, or Heavenly Blue—Standards delicate lavender; falls clear deep lavender; flowers very large and extra fine. **25 cents.**

**HONORABILIS**, or Sans Souci—Standards golden-yellow, falls rich mahogany-brown; very effective. **15 cents.**

**PURPLE PRINCE**—Standards intense deep violet-blue; falls velvety dark purple; exceedingly rich and striking. **15 cents.**

**FLORENTINE**—Creamy-white, faintly flushed lavender; fragrant and early. This is the Orris root of commerce, being used for the manufacture of toilet powder. The roots are delicately perfumed. **15 cents; four for 50 cents.**

**MADAME CHEREAU**—Standards and falls white, elegantly frilled with a wide border of clear blue; very beautiful. **15 cents.**

**QUEEN OF MAY**—A lovely shade of rosy-pink, tinted with lilac; beautiful. **20 cents.**

**Special Offer No. 60** The six German Iris for **75 cents.**

## Imperial Japanese Iris

### Iris Kaempferi

They are perfectly hardy, producing a dozen flower spikes three feet in height, each spike bearing from two to four enormous blossoms eight to ten inches across and of the most delicate and beautiful colors, markings and combinations. They are in flower from June 20th till July 20th. They will thrive in almost any situation except where the water stands. The meanings of the Japanese names are translated. **20 cents each; three distinct varieties for 50 cents; set of eight fine sorts for \$1.25.**

**GEKKI-NO-NAMI** (Moonlight on Waves)—Large double white, center gold and yellow.

**KUMOMA-NO-SORA** (Sky Amidst the Clouds)—White edged and flushed with blue, center banded yellow.

**KUMO-NO-OBI** (Band of Clouds)—Crimson-amaranth, shaded lighter; lavender center, with base of gold.

**GEISHO-UI** (Fairy's Gown)—Deep mahogany-red, base of petals lighter.

**KUMA-FUNGIN** (Excited Bear)—Large deep violet-blue; very fine.

**SENJO-NO-HORA** (Bottomless Cave)—Blotched and veined violet-red, center of purple and gold.

**SHICHIUKWA** (Flower in Wine)—White bordered reddish-amaranth, center flushed gold.

**ISO-NO-NAMI** (Shallow Waves)—Fine porcelain-blue, blotched deeper, center rosy-lilac flushed with gold.

## Lily of the Valley

The Lily of the Valley is one of those delicate, sweet little flowers that not only easily wins our love, but keeps it forever. Put four or five or a half dozen pips or bulbs in a pot, and in about four or five weeks they will flower. In the spring transfer them to the garden. **Fine pips, 5 cents; 35 cents per dozen.**

**AQUILEGIA**, or Columbine—All colors. **10 cents.**

**ACHILLEA**, THE PEARL—Pure white flowers in immense clusters; fine for cemetery planting. **10 cents; three for 25 cents.**

**COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA**—Golden-yellow, invaluable for cutting. **10 cents; three for 25 cents.**

**DIGITALIS**—(Foxglove)—Gloxinia-like flowers; fine assorted colors. **10 cents; three for 25 cents.**

## Delphiniums or Larkspur

**ALIDA**—Lovely bright, clear blue; white eye. **25 cents.**

**BELLADONNA**—Clear sky blue; single flowering. **20 cents.**

**FORMOSUM**—A lovely celestial blue; exquisite. **20 cents.**

**GENEVA**—Sky blue; white eye; extra. **25 cents.**

**LAMARTINE**—Single dark blue. Award of merit, Royal Horticultural Society, July, 1910. **25 cents.**

**MRS. CREIGHTON**—Dark plum color, shaded azure. **25 cents.**

**Special Offer** Only the six blue Delphiniums for **only \$1.15.**



# HARDY BORDER PLANTS and BULBS—Concluded

**DICENTRA SPECTABILIS**, or **BLEEDING HEART**—15c.  
**EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA**—(Hardy Grass)—Striped across the leaves; fine plume. 10 cents.  
**EULALIA JAPONICA VARIEGATA**—(Hardy Grass.) Striped white and green; bears elegant plumes. 10 cents.  
**EULALIA GRACILIS UNIVITTATA**—(Hardy Grass)—Makes immense clumps; very graceful. 10 cents; the three grasses for 25 cents.  
**FUNKIA SUBCORDATA GRANDIFLORA**—(The White Plantain or Day Lily)—Pure white lily-shaped, fragrant flowers. 15 cents.  
**FUNKIA MEDIO VARIEGATA**—Green and white foliage with lavender flowers. 10 cents.  
**GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA**—(Blanket Flower)—The center is dark red-brown, petals marked with rings of brilliant crimson-orange and vermilion. 10 cents; three for 25 cents.  
**HOLLYHOCKS, MAMMOTH DOUBLE FLOWERING**—We offer four colors. Will bloom the first year. 20 cents each; four for 60 cents.  
**HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA**—(The Lemon Lily)—This is entirely hardy, and bears flowers of a lemon-yellow color. Very desirable. 10 cents; three for 25 cents.  
**HIBISCUS CRIMSON EYE**—Belongs to the family of mallows, flowers six inches across; color pure white with pronounced eye of deep crimson. 10 cents.  
**HYACINTHUS CANDICANS**—Large spikes of pure white. The Hardy Hyacinth. 5 cents; six for 25 cents.  
**LOBELIA CARDINALIS**—(Cardinal Flower.) Rich fiery-cardinal flowers; strong plants, often producing ten to eighteen spikes twelve to twenty-four inches long. 10 cents.  
**PLUMBAGO LARPENTAE** or **Lady Larpent**—Deep royal blue flowers. This is an elegant plant. 10 cents, three for 25 cents.

**HARDY SCOTCH** or **SWEET MAY PINKS**—These are the pinks of our mothers' gardens; all colors. 10 cents, three distinct colors for 25 cents.  
**NEW HARDY SCOTCH PINK "HER MAJESTY"**—Pure white flowers; fine for cemetery. 10 cents, three for 25 cents.  
**MYOSOTIS PALUSTRIS, FORGET-ME-NOT**—Everybody's favorite. 10 cents.  
**PLATYCODON GRANDIFLORUM**—(Bush Clematis.) A free flowering plant covered with flowers that resemble somewhat the Clematis; two colors, deep blue and pure white. 10 cents each, the two for 15 cents.  
**RUDBECKIA LACINIATA**—(Golden Glow.) Grows six to eight feet high, bearing hundreds of double yellow blossoms; it is very desirable. 10 cents; three for 25 cents.  
**SAGE HOLT'S MAMMOTH**—A variety of unusual substance, strong flavor and superior quality. 10 cents; three for 25 cents.  
**STOKESIA CYANEA** or **CORNFLOWER ASTER**—Grows eighteen to twenty-four inches high, flowers lavender-blue; four to five inches in diameter, borne from June to October. 10 cents; three for 25 cents.  
**HARDY BLUE SALVIA**—(Caryopteris Mastacanthus)—A grand plant bearing rich lavender-blue flowers. Be sure and try this plant, it will please you. 10 cents.  
**SWEET WILLIAMS** in choicest new varieties, all shades, 10 cents.  
**YUCCA FILAMENTOSA**—(Spanish Dagger.) Blooms every year, bearing long stalks surmounted with large umbels or heads of white flowers. 10 cents each; larger, 25 cents.  
**SWEET WILLIAM**—A fine collection of all colors—White, scarlet, maroon. Red on white ground. Violet on white ground. Holborn Glory or Auricula-flowered. 10 cents; three for 25 cents; seven for 50 cents.

# Hardy Deciduous Shrubs and Trees

**AZALEA MOLLIS**—The most brilliant and showy of all hardy Shrubs, exceeding even the Rhododendron, and entirely hardy without protection in all situations. The bloom, which varies in color from the intense rosy-crimson to lemon-yellow, literally covers the compact, spreading plant, forming a huge bouquet, and which remains in perfection for a long time in May and June. Massed they produce an effect that is actually brilliant and dazzling. Plants ready to bloom. 50 cents; three for \$1.25.  
**BUXUS (Ornamental Box)—Sempervirens.** Useful for edging and bordering, walks, etc. A handsome shrub with deep green foliage. This is not as dwarf as the Sempervirens Nana, but we find it so much more vigorous and hardy that we advise planting this and trimming to height required. 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, purchaser to pay expressage, \$3.00 per hundred.  
**CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS**—(Carolina Allspice or Sweet Scented Shrub.) A most desirable Shrub. The wood is fragrant, flowers of a rare chocolate color, having a peculiar agreeable odor that is very penetrating. They blossom in June and at intervals afterwards. Fine plants, 10 cents; strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents.

**CYDONIA JAPONICA**—(Japan Quince.) Has bright scarlet flowers in great profusion in the early spring; one of the best shrubs. Fine plants, 25 cents.  
**DEUTZIAS**—Their fine habit, luxuriant foliage and profusion of bloom render them among the most beautiful of Shrubs. They flower the latter part of June.  
**DEUTZIA GRACILIS**—Dwarf habit. Covers itself with pure white bell-shaped flowers. 15 cents each; strong plants, 25 cents.  
**DEUTZIA GRACILIS ROSEA**—Same as above but pink flowers. 15 cents each.  
**DEUTZIA CRENATA, Fl. Pl.**—Flowers double white, tinged with rose. 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.  
**DEUTZIA PRIDE OF ROCHESTER**—Large double white flowers. 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.  
**DEUTZIA LEMOINEI**—Habit dwarf and free flowering; double white flowers. 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.  
**SPECIAL OFFER—Five Deutzias for 60 cents.**

**New Hydrangea "HILLS OF SNOW"**—This is the great new hardy shrub that has come to gladden our yards and gardens. We place it first and foremost of all shrubs. It makes a perfectly round symmetrical bush that is covered from June to August with handsome large pure white flowers. Be sure and plant this new hardy shrub, it will please you greatly. Young plants, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents. Strong two-year-old plants, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00. Large specimen plants to bloom at once, 75 cents each.  
**HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA**—A great favorite, and there is nothing finer or more showy, whether for planting in large masses in parks or for single plants on the smallest lawns. Blooms profusely from July until frost, in immense white panicles, tinted with pink and then with brown in the fully matured flower. The plant should be cut back each spring fully one-half of the past season's growth, as the flowers are much finer if the plant is treated in this manner. The flowers are much finer and larger if grown in a good, rich soil, but the plant is so hardy and easily grown that success is almost certain in any kind of soil and in any situation. Young plants, 15 cents, three for 40 cents. Strong flowering plants for immediate effect, two years old, 35 to 50 cents, according to size.  
**HIBISCUS SYRIACUS**—(Althea or Rose of Sharon.) Also known as the Hollyhock Shrub, belongs to the Mallow family. These are the most beautiful shrubs we have in our collection. The flowers are of large size, very double and full of various brilliant and striking colors. They bloom freely during August and September, when scarcely any other Shrub is in bloom. Six varieties: **Jean d'Arc**, double white; **Boule de Feu**, double red; **Paeoniflorus**, double pink; **Violet Claire**, double violet; **Bicolor Hybrida**, double variegated; **Snowdrift** (Totus Albus), single, pure white—this is the best of all Altheas. Twelve to eighteen inches high, 15 cents, two for 25 cents; the set of six for 60 cents; fine plants two feet high, well branched, 20 cents, three for 50 cents, the set of six for 90 cents.  
**JASMINE PRIMULINUM**—(New.) This is a grand new hardy Jasmine of bushy growth; star-shaped yellow flowers. Try this plant. 20 cents.



HYDRANGEA "HILLS OF SNOW"

# HARDY DECIDUOUS SHRUBS AND TREES—Concluded

## PHILADELPHUS SYRINGA, MOCK ORANGE

These are invaluable shrubs blooming in June. Fine plants 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.

**PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS**—(Garland Syringa.) Pure white flowers, highly scented.

**PHILADELPHUS GRANDIFLORUS**—(Large-Flowered Syringa.) Has very showy large white flowers, delicate fragrance.

## Lemoine's New Philadelphia

**MANTEAU d'HERMINE**—(Cape of Ermine.) Dwarf growth with long, slender branches densely covered from base to top with sweet scented double flowers of creamy-white. In fact the flowers are borne in such great profusion as to totally obscure the plant. 25 cents.

**MONT BLANC**—The branches of this beautiful variety are covered with white flowers that are deliciously fragrant. A grand species. 25 cents.

**NOTE**—The above two new Philadelphia are away ahead of the old varieties. Being dwarf they are superb for hedge planting.



LILACS.

## SYRINGA (Lilac)

Well known beautiful shrubs, indispensable in every collection. It is doubtful if anything in the whole range of flowering shrubs surpasses these in grace and elegance, or in hardiness and usefulness. As decorative plants on the lawn or in the border, they are without a peer. All of the Lilacs are deliciously fragrant. One-year plants of Lilacs, twelve to eighteen inches high, 25 cents each; two-year plants, branched, eighteen to twenty-four inches, 50 cents each; the set of nine Lilacs, in one-year-old plants, for \$1.75, in two-year plants the nine for \$3.50.

**ALPHONSE LAVALLE**—Double dark blue shading to violet. Extra large panicles, beautiful.

**CHARLES X**—A strong, rapid growing variety with large, shining leaves, trusses large, rather loose; reddish-purple.

**DR. STOCKHART**—Single wine-red. Extra fine trusses.

**JOSIKAE**—(Hungarian Lilac.) A fine distinct species, with dark shining leaves and purple flowers in June after other Lilacs are done flowering. Extra fine.

**MADAME CASMIR PERIET**—Very large, creamy-white; superb.

**MADAME LEMOINE**—A superb double flowering white variety; can't be beat.

**MARIE LEGRAYE**—Large panicles of single white flowers. The finest white Lilac.

**MICHAEL BUCHNER**—Very large, erect panicles of pale lilac; superb.

**PERSICA ALBA**—(White Persian Lilac.) Delicate white fragrant flowers shaded with purple, rare.

**PRESIDENT GREVY**—A beautiful blue. Individual flowers very double and very large. The panicle is magnificent; one of the finest Lilacs.

**SOUVENIR DE LOUIS SPAETHE**—Long panicles of large individual flowers, dark purplish-red; very distinct. Superb.

**VILLOSA**—Color light pink, almost white, one of the latest to bloom; very showy.

**VULGARIS**—(Common Lilac.) Bluish purple flowers. A standard variety. Always good.

**VULGARIS ALBA**—Common white Lilac very large trusses of cream colored flowers. Extra.

## SPIREA

(Meadow Sweet.) These are beautiful shrubs of the easiest culture, very desirable for planting on the lawn in groups or as single specimens. Their blooming extends over a period of three months. One-year, 15 cents each; strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.

**ANTHONY WATERER**—This beautiful gem makes a low, compact bush and is covered nearly the whole growing season with large umbels of deep crimson flowers which measure nearly a foot across. When scarcely three inches high it begins to bloom, and therefore is seldom out of flower. As a pot plant or for growing in the open ground, nothing can equal it. Perfectly hardy, it is unquestionably one of the really meritorious plants that we cannot have too many of.

**PRUNIFOLIA Fl. Pl.**—(Bridal Wreath.) A beautiful shrub from Japan, with double pure white flowers like white daisies in May. Keeps in flower a long time and justly merits to be placed in the front rank among flowering shrubs.

**VAN HOUTTEI**—At the flowering season in May and early June, the plant is covered with a mass of large white flowers, presenting a beautiful appearance. Very hardy; one of the finest shrubs in the catalogue.

## SNOWBALL (Viburnum)

**VIBURNUM OPULUS STERILIS**—(Guelder Rose.) A well known favorite shrub of large size, with globular clusters of pure white flowers. The Snowball of our mothers' gardens. Blooms in May. One-year plants, 15 cents; two-year plants, 25 cents.

## WEIGELA (Diervilla)

They produce in June and July superb large trumpet-shaped flowers that almost hide the plant. They are very desirable for the border or for grouping, and as specimens on the lawn. One-year plants, 15 cents; strong two-year plants, 30 cents each.

**CANDIDA**—A vigorous, erect grower, flowers pure white and produced in great profusion in June, and the plants continue to bloom through the summer, even until autumn.

**EVA RATHKE**—A charming Weigela flower, brilliant crimson. A beautiful distinct clear shade.

**ROSEA**—An elegant shrub with fine rose colored flowers of erect compact growth. Blossoms in June.

**ROSEA NANA VARIEGATA**—Of dwarf habit and possessing clearly defined silvery variegated leaves. Flowers nearly white. It stands the sun well.

# Hedge Plants

We here name the most suitable plants for hedges.

## BERBERIS (Barberry)

**THUNBERGII**—From Japan. A pretty species of dwarf habit. Small foliage changing to a beautiful coppery-red in autumn. A slower grower than the privets, but needs no trimming and is a feast for the eye when full grown. One-year plants, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.

## LIGUSTRUM PRIVET

**AMURENSIS**—(Amoor River Privet.) This is a very graceful plant, requires little trimming. The leaf is small and rounded, plant branching, has not the stiff or formal effect that the California Privet has. Two-year, eighteen to twenty-four inches, branched, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, purchaser to pay expressage, \$5.00 per hundred.

**OVALIFOLIUM**—(California Privet.) This makes when pruned a very formal hedge, will grow almost anywhere thriving where other plants refuse to grow. Two-year, eighteen to twenty-four inches, branched, 10 cents each; 75 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, purchaser to pay expressage, \$5.00 per hundred.

# CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS

ANY SIX PACKETS PRICED AT 5 CENTS SENT FOR 25 CENTS

	Price per pkt.
Abrus Precatorius—West India Weather Plant.....	5c
Achillea, The Pearl—Hardy; pure white double flowers.....	10c
Ageratum—Imperial dark blue.....	5c
Ageratum—Imperial pure white.....	5c
Adlumia Cirrhosa—Allegheny Vine, or Mountain Fringe.....	5c
Agathea Celestes (Blue Daisy)—Hardy perennial.....	10c
Alyssum, Sweet—The old favorite; very fragrant.....	5c
Alyssum, Little Gem—New dwarf variety.....	5c
Ambrosia—Foliage and flowers very fragrant.....	5c
Anchusa Capensis—Cape Forget-Me-Not.....	5c
Antigonon leptopus, or Mountain Beauty.....	5c
Antirrhinum, Tall Mixed—Tall Snapdragon; all colors.....	5c
Antirrhinum, Dwarf Mixed—Dwarf Snapdragon; all colors.....	5c
Aquilegia, Double Mixed—All colors of Columbine.....	5c
Aquilegia, Single Mixed—All colors of Columbine.....	5c
Aristolochia Sippo—"Dutchman's Pipe," fine.....	10c
Arabis Alpina—Hardy white perennial.....	5c
Aster Victoria—Apple-blossom pink.....	10c
Aster Victoria—Crimson on white.....	10c
Aster Victoria—Light blue on white.....	10c
Aster Victoria—Light blue.....	10c
Aster, Imperial Dwarf Mixture—All colors.....	10c
Aster, Dwarf Snowball—A pure white ball.....	10c
Aster, Dwarf Fireball—Brilliant scarlet.....	10c
Aster, Imperial Tall Mixture—All colors.....	10c
Aster, Japanese or Tassel—Resembles a Chrysanthemum.....	10c
Aster, Giant Branching—Pure white.....	10c
Aster, Giant Branching—Clear pink.....	10c
Aster, Giant Branching—Darkest crimson.....	10c
Aster, Giant Branching—Light blue.....	10c
Aster, Giant Branching—Royal purple.....	10c
Aster, Giant Branching—Delicate lavender.....	10c
Aster, Giant Peony-Flowered—All colors, mixed.....	10c
Aster, Giant Comet—Snow-white, delicate lavender, dark blue, clear pink and mixed, each.....	10c
Aster, Yellow Queen—A fine sulphur-yellow color.....	10c
Aster, Washington or Jubilee—All colors, mixed.....	10c
Aster, Queen of the Market—Earliest of all; five colors.....	10c
Aster, China or Common Mixed—In twenty colors.....	5c
Aster, Cocardeau or Crown Asters—All colors; mixed.....	10c
Arctotis Grandis—African Lilac Daisy.....	5c
Anemone (Wind Flower)—Hardy mixed colors.....	5c
Amelopsis Veitchii—(Boston Ivy). A hardy climber.....	5c
Balsam Apple—A rapid and pretty climber.....	5c
Balsam, Camellia-Flowered—All colors, mixed.....	5c
Balsam, or Touch-Me-Not—Lady Slippers; all colors.....	5c
Bird of Paradise—Orange-red; flowers in clusters.....	5c
Calendula, or Pot Marigold, Mixed—All colors.....	5c
Coreopsis Grandiflora Lanceolata—Hardy yellow.....	5c
Campanula—(Canterbury Bell.) Double mixed.....	5c
Campanula—(Canterbury Bell.) Single mixed.....	5c
Campanula, Cup and Saucer—Mixed.....	5c
Candytuft—Mixed colors.....	5c
Candytuft, Snow Queen—Pure white.....	5c
Candytuft, Giant Hyacinth-Flowered—Mixed.....	5c
Candytuft, New Dwarf Hybrid—Mixed color.....	5c
Candytuft, Odorata, or Sweet-scented—Old favorite.....	5c
Cannas—The dwarf French ever-bloomers, mixed.....	10c
Carnations, King of the Scarlets—Glowing scarlet.....	25c
Carnations, Giant Marguerite—Mixed colors.....	25c
Carnation, Double Mixed—All colors.....	20c
Centaurea Imperialis—Mixed colors.....	5c
Centaurea Cyanus—Ragged Sailor, Cornflower, Blue Bottle, Bachelor's Button, mixed colors.....	5c
Centaurea Gymnocarpa—Dusty Miller.....	5c
Centaurea Candidissima—Dusty Miller.....	5c
Celosia Cristata, or Coxcomb—Glasgow prize dwarf variety.....	5c
Celosia Cristata, or Coxcomb—Tall mixed.....	5c
Celosia Cristata, or Coxcomb—Dwarf mixed.....	5c
Centrosema Grandiflora—(Butterfly Pea.) Hardy vine.....	10c
Chrysanthemum Annual—Mixed colors.....	5c
Chrysanthemum Annual, Mixing Star—Yellow.....	5c
Chrysanthemum Annual, Coronarium—Double white.....	5c
Cobea Scandens—Bell-shaped flowers; climbing.....	5c
Cosmos—(Early Hybrids.) Mixed colors.....	5c
Cosmos, Giant Mixed—All colors.....	5c
Cypress Vine—Mixed seed; fine climber.....	5c
Coleus—Finest mixed.....	10c
Cucumber, Wild—A rampant climber; fine for shade.....	5c
Dahlias, Double Best Mixed—All colors.....	10c
Dahlias, New Century—All colors.....	10c
Dahlias, Cactus-Flowered—All colors.....	10c
Datura, or Horn of Plenty—(Or Angel's Trumpet) mixed.....	5c
Delphinium (Larkspur)—Annual mixed.....	5c
Delphinium (Larkspur)—Perennial mixed.....	5c
Dianthus, or Hardy Japanese Pink—All colors.....	5c
Dictamnus Fraxinella—(Gas Plant.) White flowers.....	5c

	Price per pkt.
Dolichos—Hyacinth Bean, or Scarlet Runner.....	5c
Digitalis—(Foxglove.) All colors, mixed.....	5c
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Gourds, Ornamental—All kinds, mixed.....	5c
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Godetia, or Satin Flower—Choicest varieties.....	5c
Helianthus, or Sunflower—Mammoth Russian.....	5c
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Hibiscus, Crimson Eye—Hardy; white, crimson eye.....	5c
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Hollyhocks, Rainbow mixture of prize Hollyhocks.....	10c
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Ipomea, Heavenly Blue—The blue Moonflower.....	5c
Ipomea Grandiflora Alba—The white Moonflower.....	5c
Kochia Scoparia—Summer Cypress; elegant bush.....	5c
Kudzu Vine—(Jack and the Bean Stalk.) Hardy Vine.....	10c
Lathyrus, or Everlasting Pea—Hardy, very sweet, mixed.....	10c
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Lantana, or Shrubby Verbena—All colors.....	5c
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Nasturtium, Dwarf, Empress of India—Crimson-scarlet.....	5c
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Nasturtium, Tall, Sunrise—Magnificent pure yellow.....	5c
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Nasturtium, Majus Tall—All colors, mixed (Oz. 20c).....	5c
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Phlox Grandiflora—Mixed large-flowered; all colors.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Butterfly—White, edged lavender.....	5c
Phlox Coccinea—Lovely scarlet Phlox.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Blushing Beauty—A peach-blossom tint.....	5c
Phlox Cuspidata, or Star of Quedlinburg—Odd.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Black Knight—Deep maroon.....	5c
Phlox Golden Harvest—Richest yellow.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Blanche Ferry—Extra early pink and white.....	5c
Phlox Snowdrift—Pure immaculate white.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Captain of the blues—Best blue to date.....	5c
Phlox Pink Beauty—Large clear pink.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Coquette—Primrose-yellow, shaded lavender.....	5c
Phlox Nana Compacta—Dwarf, all colors.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Countess of Cadogan—Effect bright blue.....	5c
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Poppy, the Shirley—New; very popular.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Dainty—White, with pink edges.....	5c
Poppy, Snowdrift—Double; pure white.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Firefly—Rich scarlet.....	5c
Poppy, Golden Gate—Lovely variegated colors.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Gray Friar—Watered purple on white.....	5c
Poppy, Firedragon—Deep scarlet.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Hon. Mrs. Kenyon—Best yellow to date.....	5c
Poppy, Nudicaule, or Iceland Poppy—Yellow.....	5c	Sweet Pea, Janet Scott—The best pink; magnificent.....	5c
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Primula Forbesi—(Baby Primrose.) Winter bloomer.....	15c	Sweet Pea, Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain—White striped rose.....	5c
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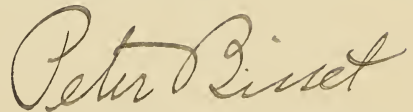
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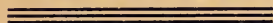
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